

## ELISE, ATTACKED IN STORE BY ITALIAN, MAY NOT LIVE.

Early Morning Cutting Affray on North Pittsburg Street Results in Serious Injury to Merchant.

### SCOTSDALE GETS SUSPECT.

Mike Napoli, Arrested There on Street Car, Is Charged With Crime. Elise's Face Laid Open From Ear To Mouth—Officers Active.

Joe Elise, a Greek merchant, may die and Mike Napoli, an Italian, is in the police station as the result of an early morning cutting affray early this morning in the store of Elise in North Pittsburg street. The assault is one of the most daring that has ever been committed in this section. Elise was in his store shortly before 6 o'clock when a stranger rapped upon the door. The man said he wanted to purchase five cents' worth of tobacco. Elise opened the door and an instant later a knife flashed through the air, striking Elise behind the left ear and slashing through the flesh to the mouth. The assailant immediately took to flight and Elise, insensible to his wound, gave chase. Elise rushed madly after the man, leaving behind him a trail of blood which spattered from several facial arteries. At the Pennsylvania railroad tracks a score of yards away, the fugitive turned towards New Haven and evidently reached across the bridge. Elise then ran to Dr. T. H. White's residence but that physician was not yet up. By the time Dr. White came down, Elise had gone, but left a deep pool of gore as an evidence of his visit.

From Dr. White's Elise proceeded to Dr. H. F. Atkinson, who had been aroused by the wounded man's screams when the affray occurred. The victim literally fell into the physician's office and collapsed upon the floor. Dr. H. J. Coll was immediately summoned and by the time of his arrival Dr. Atkinson had gathered up the severed arteries and stopped to some degree, the profuse bleeding. Together the physicians placed 25 stitches in the wound and dressed it so Elise could return home. Dr. Atkinson declared that had Elise gone 15 minutes longer without attention, he should have died from loss of blood. By the time his wound was dressed, the office of Dr. Atkinson resembled a shambles. For hours afterward the blood of Elise could be seen by the trail which followed his tracks and stained the snow.

Prompt work on the part of the police resulted in the arrest of Mike Napoli as a suspect within two hours after the affray occurred. Napoli was apprehended at Scottdale. The screams of Elise after being stabbed awakened the neighborhood and the police were summoned. Officers Decker and Lower and Constable J. W. Mitchell were early on the scene and conducted a thorough investigation. Mitchell was one of those aroused by the commotion.

County Detective Frank McLaughlin was also notified of the crime and reported seeing a man bearing the description given by Elise board the 7-30 car for Scottdale. The Scottdale authorities were notified to look out for him and Westminster E. M. Stantz had just sufficient time to get Constable Thomas J. Gillespie out of bed and down to the waiting room as the car reached the MHP town. Gillespie, aided by William B. Kenny and Frank Tont, located the car and arrested Napoli, who resisted in a strenuous manner. He drew a formidable looking .28 calibre blued steel revolver and attempted to use it on the men but was disarmed before a shot was fired. An eight inch stiller, made from an old blo, was also discovered, and it is believed the deed was committed with this weapon. Napoli protested his innocence but was taken to the borough police station until the arrival of Officer S. B. Decker, who brought the man back to Connellville.

Napoli answers the description given by Elise of his assailant although it was dark when the deed was committed. He was said to wear a red shirt, and Napoli had on a brown colored suit which Elise might have taken for red. Napoli is said to have been seen lurking about the store kept by Elise all day yesterday. The prisoner is employed as a section hand on the West Penn molder Supervisor Philip Pope. He has a wife and four children, and according to his story in broken English, the fourth arrived during the night.

The officers believe Napoli is the man who assaulted Harry Rosenberg, a New Haven peddler, about a year ago Rosenberg was attacked by an Italian who inflicted a wound similar to the one sustained by Elise, but not so serious. He will attempt to identify the man tonight. When arrested

Napoli is said to have given himself away to the officers by saying the only cutting scrape he had done occurred nearly a year ago.

The county authorities will likely take charge of the case County Detective Frank McLaughlin is interesting himself in the affair and it is possible District Attorney Henderson may direct his men to conduct the prosecution of Napoli.

Shortly before noon Chief of Police Rottler, accompanied by Justice of the Peace Frank Miller, and with Ross Miller as a witness, went to Elise for a sworn statement, as it was believed the man's condition was so precarious that he might not recover. To these officers Elise stated positively that Napoli was the man who did the cutting. Napoli will likely have a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace W. P. Clark this evening.

## STEPHEN KERRIGAN DIED OF HIS INJURIES.

Well Known Young Railroader Passes Away in Cumberland Hospital Saturday.

As the result of his injuries Stephen Kerrigan the B. & O. fireman who met with an accident in Cumberland Saturday morning died Saturday night in the Allegheny hospital, Cumberland. In attempting to board his caboose at Oldtown road Saturday morning he missed his footing and had one of his legs badly crushed below the knee, by going under the wheels. He was hurriedly removed to the Allegheny hospital where he was given the best of attention but with no avail.

Mr. Kerrigan was 21 years old and was the youngest son of Mr. William Kerrigan of Sand Patch. For several years he ran out of Connellville and while here he made his home the greater part of his time with Mr. and Mrs. Anthony King. Several months ago he went to Sand Patch to make his home with his mother. He was a young man of exemplary habits and his untimely death will be greatly mourned by his wide circle of friends. In addition to his mother he is survived by two brothers, M. J. of Connellville, B. & O. train dispatcher, and Patrick Kerrigan. Funeral services were held this afternoon from the home of his mother at Sand Patch. Among those who attended the services from here were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kerrigan, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ross and J. J. Dougherty.

## WOMAN HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE.

Mrs. Margaret McNeel, Said to Be Daughter of Rev. Swaggers of Dunbar in Trouble.

KITTANNING, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Margaret McNeel, who was arrested in Kittanning on serious charges, was brought back here and furnished bail before Justice John Fleming. The date of her hearing has not yet been set. Mrs. McNeel, who was a daughter of Rev. C. W. Swaggers of Dunbar, a Baptist minister, is alleged to have fled from her home last October. About the same time Dr. Harper Wright disappeared.

Dr. Wright was arrested in Akron, O., and was brought here on Wednesday. Informations against both prisoners were made by Mrs. Wright, who is now living at Hamilton, Jefferson county, O. An additional information was made by Mrs. McNeel's husband.

## DEATH WARRANT FOR WILLIAM L. CATE.

Date of Bellevue Murderer Is Set For March 9.—Was Twice Convicted.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 18.—At the direction of Governor Stuart a death warrant will be made out for William L. Cate, convicted of the murder of Thomas L. Guss at Bellevue. No official notification has yet reached Uniontown but it is known that March 9 is the date for the execution. Cate will be the first man to be hanged by Sheriff Johns since assuming office.

The Weather.

Fair and continued cold tonight; Tuesday warmer and probably rain; the noon weather report.

## SEVEN MEN CREMATED AT PINE HILL TODAY.

One of Their Number Apparently Lighted Fire With Kerosene Causing a Disastrous Explosion and Destroying Three Houses in Somerset Mining Town.

Special to The Courier.  
SOMERSET, Jan. 18.—Seven foreigners were cremated as they slept in their beds in a company house at Pine Hill, a short distance from Berlin this morning.

**The Dead.**  
JAKE LATISKE.  
YOCO SWIMTSKY.  
TONY REZOK.  
LARRY CUTHILL.  
MIKE COTTON.  
JOHN RECHIM.  
PIETRO PAGLIO.

The little town of Pine Hill, which is a mining operation for the Somerset Coal Company, was startled this morning by a slight explosion and those who heard the report, in looking out into the night, saw the house in which the seven miners lived in flames. There was a hurried exodus from the other company houses and an effort made to stay the flames. As there is no water works nor any water near it was impossible to stop the onslaught of the flames.

They quickly communicated to the adjoining houses of George Ohler and Frank Resok. These two buildings were entirely consumed, but the occupants were able to get out of them without injury. All the furnishings were burned up in the blaze.

While the flames were raging the agonizing cries of the occupants of the foreign house could be heard. They were making every effort to escape, but it seems that they could not find their way from the room, in which all were apparently sleeping. The fire occurred at 4 o'clock this morning and was witnessed by hundreds who stood in the bitter cold and watched the house with its occupants burn to the ground. There was terror upon every face and many turned from the scene of horror as the terrible groans of the burning men rent the night air.

The only explanation for the terrible tragedy is that one of the men who were in the house arose about 4 o'clock this morning to light a fire, and as has been the usual practice, poured kerosene upon the wood. An explosion which completely enveloped him is believed to have followed and soon the interior of the house was ablaze. The other men are believed to have been sleeping in an upstairs room and were enveloped in a mass

of flames before they were awakened. When they did awake it is believed that they were half suffocated and the flames had already reached their bodies.

The house was only an ordinary frame company house and it was quickly consumed. In addition to this there were several cans of powder and mineral oil in the house. All these combustibles helped to quicken the work of destruction. It was only by speedy work that the people in the adjoining houses escaped in their night clothes.

Hardly were the embers of the house cool this morning when the miners and residents of the village began searching the ruins for the bodies of the men. One blackened and charred trunk was removed shortly before noon from beneath the debris, but it was unrecognizable. The men carried it to a vacant house and then returned to search the ruins. It is believed that some of the bodies have been entirely cremated. All work has been suspended and the entire population of the town surrounds the burned houses.

News Bureau. He remained in Pittsburgh about six months and made good but accepted a better position with the News in Connellville at the end of that time.

He occasionally worked for The Courier when it was a weekly and when the daily was established in November, 1902, became its first reporter. He remained in this position until January 1, 1906, when he went to Greensburg to accept the city desk of the newly established Greensburg Press. In this capacity he made The Press one of the best newspapers in Westmoreland county but night work proved unhealthy and to August, 1907, he resigned and went west. From August until February of the next year he worked on The Record in Canyon City, Colorado, giving up work again because of ill health. He remained in the West until May when he came East again and spent several months on the Greene county farm.

He returned to Connellville for a few days on August 3 went to White Haven, Pa., remaining there until he failed so rapidly it was necessary to bring him home on December 15. Since then he has hovered between life and death until Saturday evening, when the end came. He was conscious to the last and shortly before passing away he summoned the members of his family to the bedside. The end was peaceful.

While actively engaged in newspaper work here he had a long "string" of out of town papers. After Aloynous Coll gave up active work for the Eastern papers, he took them up and for several years had the exclusive correspondence for all of the New York papers, together with many of those in Pittsburgh and Philadelphia.

He was also a member of Company D, serving one enlistment from 1902 to 1905. He rose from the ranks to a position of sergeant and company clerk, and was awarded medals for superior marksmanship.

On January 14, 1905, he was married to Miss Gertrude Ryan, daughter of Thomas H. Ryan, who survives him. He is also survived by his father, Hamilton Cree Horner, his mother, Miss Mary E. Horner, his sister, Miss Anna M. Horner, and two brothers, E. W. Horner of Connellville and Dr. H. J. Horner of Pittsburgh.

The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the residence of his mother in Apple street. Interment will be private in Hill Grove cemetery. Rev. A. J. Ashe of Connellville and Rev. M. A. Rigg of New Kensington will officiate.

For the most part the pall bearers will be former newspaper friends.

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Clean Pavements Today.  
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Fraternity Loses an Able Member.  
Cree Horner, Well Known Newspaper Man, Passes Peacefully Away.

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As the whistles were blowing the hour of 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon Samuel Cree Horner, one of the best known newspaper men of Fayette county, died after a lingering illness of several months. The end was expected and brought relief from a long period of suffering. Consumption was the cause of death.

Cree Horner was one of the best newspaper men the county has ever known and his death at this time, he was but 27 years old, robbed the profession of a member possessed of a



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## M'CLAIN REFUSES TO ACCEPT APPOINTMENT AS CHAIRMAN.

Turns Down Position That He Held For Many Years and Plans Leading Insurgent Forces.

Files Suit For Divorce.  
UNIONTOWN, Jan. 18.—Belva Gertrude Nave of Connellville has filed a libel in divorce against John Nave, her husband. Indignities to her person and infidelity are charged. The two have not lived together for the past two years and Nave is accused of intimacy with Dilesta. Touthman, who is named co-respondent. The couple was married in 1902.

Horses Are Exercised.  
Driver Arch Hilday of the fire department had his horses out today giving them strenuous exercise. A number of Councilmen complained of late that the horses are not kept in condition but Hilday put them through this morning at a rate that must have disfigured some of the critics.

FIERCE MOUNTAIN  
STORM SWEEPS TOWN.

Although the Blow Was a Fierce One Little Damage Resulted from It in This Section.

One of the worst storms of recent years swept the region Saturday afternoon and night, causing much delay to traffic and trouble for travellers. The wind was high all day Saturday and did not abate when night came. It was accompanied by a stinging sleet which made travelling difficult and dangerous.

Several electric light poles were blown down and some of them fell across the West Penn tracks, causing a delay to traffic. The wind was worse in the southern end of the county than elsewhere. Uniontown suffered much on Saturday and business was almost suspended.

The West Penn snow plow was busy all evening keeping the rails clear. It was in charge of Motorman Harry Ford and Conductor Herbert Shones, with W. R. Slickles at the machine. Superintendent J. W. Brown and Chief Engineer J. L. Fritsch were out nearly all night with the sweeper, clearing the rails and cleaning frogs and switches.

The entire schedule of the West Penn from Greensburg to Brownsville and Uniontown was deranged but cars made exceptionally good time under trying conditions.

CELEBRATED VIOLINIST  
AT HUNGARIAN CHURCH.

Pastor Presented With a Beautiful Vestment Prior to the Sunday Services—Many Present.

Rigo, the celebrated violinist appeared yesterday morning in St. Mary's Church before a large and representative congregation, including many music lovers of Connellville. In the audience were many non-Catholics who had assembled to hear the work of the wonderful violinist.

During mass Rigo very beautifully rendered Gounod's "Ave Maria," followed by the rendition of the celebrated Hungarian church song. During the services he accompanied the church choir. Preceding the services Rev. Feynes, the pastor, was present with a very handsome vestment by Rigo. Rev. Feynes and Rigo are very close friends and it was a personal favor to Rev. Feynes that Rigo paid his first visit to Connellville.

SNOWBALLING ON  
STREET TO STOP.

Police Have Been Receiving Many Complaints And Are Making an Effort to Stop It.

The police are receiving complaints from all sections of town concerning the promiscuous snowballing which occurred yesterday. Those who took advantage of the snow to go sloughing were the principal complainants.

In all sections of town youngsters were stationed in crowds and never missed an opportunity to hurl missiles at the first object that came around. On Brimstone Corner several fellows old enough to know better were caught at the same game and ordered to desist.

Ward Was Here.  
John G. Ward, who is under \$800 bail for court on charges of extortion, preterred by defendants in the Sunday selling prosecutions, was at work yesterday afternoon in Connellville.

Turkeys Are High.  
"Turkeys are a very scarce article," remarked a well known local restaurateur the other day. "We have a little private turkey supper on for an evening soon, and where we will get the necessary fowl is a question that is bothering me. There is a possibility of procuring turkeys in Pittsburgh at prices out of sight, but in all probability we will have to go as far as Philadelphia, and bring them here at an expense of from 30 to 35 cents a pound."

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During the night some one stole a slot machine from the front of Harry E. Brown's cigar store in South Pittsburg street. The machine is valued at \$11 and there was said to have been some money in it.

FRIENDLY WITH SPEAKER COX.  
But Is Very Bitter Against the Organization Which Refused to Place Him Back in Speaker's Chair—Legislature Convenes Today.

United Press Telegram.  
HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 18.—Refusing to be pacified by an important committee chairmanship, former Speaker Frank B. McClain, to whom the organization denied reelection as presiding house officer, is believed to be preparing to take advantage of the first opportunity to lead a revolt in the Legislature which reconvenes tonight.

Speaker Cox wanted to be friendly with McClain and offered him the chairmanship of the Corporations committee which McClain held at several sessions before he became Speaker. The offer has been declined. McClain refusing to accept anything that would put him under obligations to the party leaders.

The personal feeling between the two men, however, is entirely amicable, for McClain can not blame Cox for his defeat. It is evident however that the Lancaster man wants to keep clear of the organization in order to be in shape to take the lead against it if the opportunity presents itself.

McClain is a skilled parliamentarian, and an aggressive fighter and if he chooses to lead the insurgent element it will be better officed than for years. Realizing the possibility of such an outcome the organization has been taking care of many strong men with influential committee chairmanships. The extent to which this has checked a possible insurrection will not be fully known until the committee lists are announced Wednesday.

SOISSON PONDERES  
OVER ORDINANCES.

Has Taken No Action Upon Papers But Will Probably Decide This Evening.

As yet Burgess A. D. Soisson has taken no action in regard to the two papers laid before him by Town Council. He says he will likely dispose of each of them this evening but gave no intimation as to what action he would take.

The consolidation agreement and Snydertown annexation proceedings have both been laid before the Burgess. It is said that the petition remonstrating against the annexation of Snydertown has met with but little encouragement and George Younkin, who is circulating it, has secured few, if any, signers.

NEW PASTOR TO BE  
PUBLICLY INSTALLED.

Rev. B. Frank White Will Be Formally Placed in Charge of United Presbyterian Church.

Tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock installation services for the new pastor, Rev. B. Frank White, will be held in the United Presbyterian Church. Rev. L. S. McMichael of Greensburg will deliver the charge, while Rev. H. S. Wilson of Mt. Pleasant will deliver the address to the congregation. On Thursday evening the members of the congregation will hold a reception at 8 o'clock in the church in honor of their new pastor and his wife.

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At Sheriff's Sale  
The property of the Pittsburg and  
Stone Company was sold at Sheriff  
sale this morning by Deputy Sheriff  
C M Fee.



## NEWS OF A DAY IN SCOTTTDALE.

### Little Marie Stauffer Undergoes Operation for Appendicitis on Saturday.

### JOSIAH C. KENNELL IS DEAD

Miram S. Null, East Huntingdon City, Pa., passed away—Firemen Attend Special Services on Sunday.

SCOTTTDALE, Jan. 18.—Little Marie Stauffer, daughter of A. H. Stauffer, was operated on for appendicitis at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stauffer, Saturday afternoon. The little girl was taken very ill and suffered excruciatingly on Saturday, and the operation was performed by Drs. L. T. Gilbert, W. H. Fetter and J. P. Strickler. The patient rested well on Sunday night, and excellent hopes are entertained for a good recovery.

**Firemen Attend Church.**  
Each wearing a white carnation in their buttonhole nearly a half hundred of the Volunteer Fire Department of Scottdale marched from the borough building at 10 o'clock Sunday morning to the First United Brethren Church to attend special services. The pastor, Rev. N. W. Burtner, preached a splendid sermon to the boys and the services were very impressive.

**The Storm Raged Fiercely.**  
Old Dornas paid Scottdale a lengthy visit on Saturday, opening up with a clear morning, and about 9 o'clock turning the leaves of the weather program until a regular blizzard was on the stage, where it held the center of the day, with but a few rests. Once in awhile there was some steady rain, but the most of the time the snow was in evidence. In the evening there was much wind, which continued during the night. The street car service was of a necessity had to be discontinued on both sides of town worse than here. Sunday was a day of the most genuine winter this town has had this year. There was some snow in the afternoon and today looks as if there will be more of it.

**Miram S. Null Dead.**  
Miriam S. Null, wife long resident of East Huntingdon township, died at her home near Bedford, Saturday night, from a stroke of paralysis, aged 67 years. He was a son of Jonathan and Mary S. Null, and was a nephew of the late Harrison Null, a widely known citizen of Greensburg. He is survived by his widow, Mr. Null was a man of high integrity, and had amassed quite a fortune. The funeral services will be held on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from his late residence and with burial in Zion cemetery.

**Will of Robert Jones.**  
The last will and testament of Robert Jones, deceased, who died here last week, has been probated in Greensburg. The testator directs that his real, personal and mixed property shall be given to his three children, David J. Jones, Ida M. Jones, and Grace O. Jones, share and share alike. David J. Jones is named as executor, and the will is dated April 2, 1902.

**Death of Josiah C. Kennell.**  
Josiah C. Kennell, for many years a resident and business man of Scottdale, passed away at his home on West Pittsburgh street, at 10 o'clock Saturday night, from Bright's disease. He was born in Somerset county, near Millersburg, in 1842. He was engaged in business in Scottdale for a number of years, and just within the last few months was a partner with W. B. Henry in buying live stock. Although he knew that his end was certain and soon he kept cheerful to the last. He is survived by his widow, and a stepson, Earl Morrison, who is ill with typhoid fever. The funeral will take place from his late residence at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, with interment in the Scottdale cemetery.

## The Scrap Book

**The Great Poe.**  
"The late Charles Elliot Norton," said a Bostonian, "used humorously to deplore the modern youth's preference of brown to black."  
"He used to tell of a football game he once witnessed. Princeton had a splendid player in Poe—you will remember little Poe? and Professor Norton, thinking of 'The Raven' and 'Annabel Lee,' said to the young student at his side—  
"He plays well, that Poe."  
"Doesn't he?" the youth cried.  
"Is he," said Professor Norton, "any relation to the great Poe?"  
"Any relation?" cried the youth to surprise and indignation. "Why, man, he is the great Poe!"

**Precocious as a Child.**  
Colonel Tom (O'Brien), long time famous for his brilliant exaggerations, facetiously by some called a "champion liar" and never denying his right to the title, once said:  
"Although I was always modest, quiet and retiring, even as a child, my father sometimes administered rawhide applications to my back for my general improvement. On one oc-

casional as he was taking that sort of exercise he exclaimed:  
"I'll teach you to lie, and steal, and smoke, and use profane language, you young rascal!"  
"Never mind father, I bowled enthusiastically. I know all them branches already!"

**Unexpected Appreciation.**  
An odd anecdote is told about the "Reverie and Caprice for Violin and Orchestra" by Berlioz, a composition which purtains largely of the remarkable character that belongs to most of the works of that famous French musician. It was being performed at Leipzig by one of the greatest of German violinists, and Berlioz and Mendelssohn were both present.

After the piece was ended, amid the most enthusiastic applause, the violinist turned to Mendelssohn and whispered: "I am glad enough I have got through it, for I never had such a task in my life. I have not the remotest idea what I have been playing or what the piece can be about."

Scarcely were the words out of the bearded fiddler's mouth when Berlioz exclaimed to Mendelssohn: "Never have I heard my composition so divinely rendered. Never have I heard an artist who has so completely caught my meaning and so wonderfully interpreted it."

**Punctuation Was Preserved.**  
When John Kendrick Bangs' plan of "Punctuation" was in rehearsal the author was very much disturbed by the arbitrary alterations in his book by an omnipotent manager, who succeeded in the end in transforming a musical satire into a tuncful show having neither head nor tail. Mr. Bangs expressed himself to some friends rather forcibly one night on the subject of the managerial omnipotence.

"If you feel that way," said one of his friends, "why do you attend rehearsal?"  
"I am trying to save my punctuation," said the librettist sadly. "I hope to get a comma and a couple of semicolons through, even if the rest goes by the board."—Harper's Weekly.

**She Didn't Object.**  
A widower after his wife's death had vowed that he would not marry again unless his departed spouse herself would consent to it. He remained a widower for some time, but finally fell in love and wished to marry the object of his admiration. Remembering, however, his vow, he went to his first wife's resting place and sat down at the side of the grave.

"Bertha," he said in a low voice, "I have fallen in love with a woman and wish to marry her. Now, if you have any objection to my marrying her, let me know, and I shall abandon the project. If you, however, have nothing to say, I shall understand that my plan of marrying again pleases you. Now what shall it be?"

**Judgment.**  
Foolish men imagine that because judgment for an evil thing is delayed there is no justice, but an accident alone, here below. Judgment for an evil thing is many times delayed some day or two, some century or two, but it is sure as life, it is sure as death—Carlyle.

**Puzzled the Frenchman.**  
Sergeant Harry, who acted as usher in the White House during Cleveland's second term, told this story: "I will never forget the message President Cleveland sent to Secretary Olney one night. It was this way: There was an eclipse of the moon that night, and President and Mrs. Cleveland were much interested in watching it. 'I don't believe Olney knows about it,' said Mr. Cleveland, and he will be sorry to miss it. Then very quickly, 'Harry, go telephone Olney to look at the moon.'"

"I went to the phone, and Olney's chat or buffer or something French answered. 'The president sends word to Mr. Secretary to look at the moon,' I said. 'To look at what?' answered the Frenchman. 'The moon,' I repeated. 'Ze rat?' again he asked. 'The moon-o-o-o,' I spelled, 'the moon.' 'Is ze president in his mind?' 'Yes, he tells Mr. Olney to go look at the moon. Give him the president's message.' 'But rat for as due-to look at ze moon?' I then said a word or two and rang off.

"About an hour later the same buffer called up and, with some density in his two thin eyes before me, said, in a bewildered way, 'Monsieur le Secrétaire desirés to say to Monsieur le Président that he has looked at ze moon, and he is much obliged!'"

**A Genial Greeting.**  
It was a former archbishop of York, Dr. Thomson, who appeared once in the role of coachman. He had attended an evening party and, on leaving the house, discovered that his coachman was drunk. There appeared nothing for it but to drive home himself, and the archbishop, after placing the sulking but unconscious coachman inside the carriage, mounted the box and took the reins. The monotony of the homeward journey was broken by a wheel of the carriage coming into violent collision with a stone just outside the entrance to Bishopsthorpe. The lodge keeper, unable to recognize the approaching figure in the darkness, called out cheerily: "Hello, Bill! Drunk again? And blowed if you ain't got the old cock's hat on!"  
"It's the old cock himself," gravely responded his grace.

**You to understand, Mr. Speaker, that you're not incorruptible!**

**He Caught It.**  
The ferry dock was crowded with weary home goers when through the crowd rushed a man, hot, excited, laden to the brim with bundles of every shape and size. He sprang down the pier, his eyes fixed on the ferryboat only two or three feet out from the pier. He paused but an instant on the string-piece, and then, checked on by the amused crowd, he made a flying leap across the intervening stretch of water and landed safely on the deck. A fat man happened to be standing on the exact spot on which he struck, and they both went down with a resounding crash. When the arriving man had somewhat recovered his breath he apologized to the fat man. "I hope I didn't hurt you," he said. "I am sorry. But, anyway, I caught the boat!"  
"But, you idiot," said the fat man, "the boat was coming in!"

**Age.**  
"Tis the front toward life that matters most—  
The tone, the point of view,  
The constancy that in defeat  
Remains untouched and true.

For death in patriot fight may be  
Less gallant than a smile,  
And high endeavor to the gods  
Seems in itself worth while.

—Florence Early Coates in Outlook.

## The News of Nearby Towns.

### MT. PLEASANT.

MT. PLEASANT, Pa., Jan. 18.—About thirteen employees of the Bryce Brothers' glass factory of this place, went on a strike last Friday. Their reason for going out was because they were not paid for several weeks.

Mr. Bryce upon several occasions for short paying them in his pay envelopes which they received every week, but which they were told of it he could not make up the alleged deficiency. They decided that they would not stand for it any longer and in consequence went on strike. They were employed in the melting room and are well known in this place. They are also all old employees of the factory. What almost proved to be a tragedy accompanied the strike. Tony Macdonald, one of the men, while working, was struck by a piece of glass which he was breaking. He was badly injured, and his wounds are not serious as the knife struck his face and side, causing the blood to flow freely. He was taken to the hospital, but he is now recovering.

The next evening upon his return from work he was accused by Pietro Padellino of having stolen a pair of shoes. Macdonald was demanded an explanation, but he did not answer. Macdonald did not answer to suit Padellino, a quarrel was soon started, and it was during this quarrel that Macdonald was injured. He was taken to the hospital, but he is now recovering.

The Blues and the Whites, two basketball teams composed of the players of the local High School, played a fast and exciting game on the new State Armory grounds last night. A fair-sized crowd was present. The Blues won by a score of 10 to 2. Misses Grace Closs and Sude Fox starred for the Blues.

The Erickson House has been greatly improved by a new coat of paint which was put on by William Randolph.

For 12 hours Mt. Pleasant was held in the grip of one of the fiercest mountain storms for many years. It began at noon Saturday and every hour after noon the storm increased. At once until 9 o'clock in the evening when a 70-mile per hour gale was blowing. The storm was a real one. The temperature was at freezing point. All business was suspended and not a half dozen people were on the streets. The regular schedules on the West Penn were abandoned early in the evening as it was impossible to come in. A large margin of the schedule time. Several wagons were overturned and one or two places where the poles were blown down. The West Penn lighting system was crippled and this added to the wild aspect of the storm as it gradually put the town in darkness. The telephone wires were nearly all down putting the service completely out of business. The snow continued to fall all day Sunday, the wind having abated at midnight Saturday. It looks as if a heavy fall of snow will be in evidence, already six inches having fallen and conditions are such that more is looked for. Traffic was tied up Sunday as the streets were so bad that pedestrians could scarcely walk. This made the crowds who generally attend church appear pretty slim. The temperature was scarcely freezing Sunday, but the wind was so strong that it was a real test of endurance. The worst storm in years and this morning reports are that the fall of snow was so great over this section that it is impossible for vehicles to get through as the snow accumulated into large drifts which have to be dug out.

The Mt. Pleasant Shovel factory has received another large order for 1,000 dozen shovels to be shipped and used in South America, and also an order for a large shipment of shovels. It is expected to run the plant day and night until the orders are filled. This will be a great over the winter. The factory has been running short handed for some time and this will mean the employment of a large force of men.

**What He Didn't Mean.**  
A young member of congress was listening upon recognition for the delivery of a speech, and the speaker gave him multiples of reasons for declining to grant recognition, finally saying, "Young man, you seem to be incorruptible."  
"Maybe I am incorruptible," exclaimed the young man boldly, "but I'll have

Solomon Suter, of this place, for a few days. He is of Washington, Pa., was visiting relatives in town Sunday.

Laurence Plaut was a business caller in Greensburg Saturday. Mrs. James J. King was shopping in Scottdale Saturday.

Mrs. Stella Blinn of Mammoth, was a caller in town Saturday. David Shupe, County Commissioner of Greensburg, was a business caller in town Saturday.

Henry Cox was calling on old acquaintances in Connelville yesterday, where he used to reside.

Mrs. John Wolfe was shopping at Scottdale Saturday.

W. P. Loefer was a caller at Scottdale yesterday.

P. P. Campbell of Pittsburgh, is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Campbell, of Washington street.

Misses Angeline and Mary Ida McGee were shopping in Greensburg Saturday.

Prof. Y. L. Gordy was a business caller in Connelville Saturday.

D. H. Gungor was a professional visit to Marguerite today.

Orbin Kuller of Scottdale, was a caller in town Saturday.

G. W. Overholt was a caller at Scottdale Saturday on business.

Miss Helen Holt of Leeds, was shopping in town Saturday.

Joseph Seaveny of Pittsburgh, formerly of this place, was calling on friends here Sunday.

The Misses Dregle, Sonnon, Dick, and Colburn of Scottdale, were calling on friends in town Saturday.

Miss Cleo Bils of Scottdale, was a caller in town Sunday.

Joseph Miller of New Haven, was calling on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martha of Tulsa, were visiting the former's parents here yesterday.

Alfred Kobacker was calling on relatives in Connelville Sunday.

Misses Bertha and Fern Springer were callers at Scottdale Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barnhart returned to their home in Webster, O. today.

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MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 18, 1909.

## WHOLESALE AND RETAIL SALE OF NATURAL GAS.

The blizzard through which we have just passed suggests the thought that natural gas is not only a natural aid to industrial growth and communal prosperity, but it is also a great domestic blessing. To a people accustomed to the heat that is handy, its loss will be keenly felt.

When we consider that we will not likely have natural gas forever, and possibly for only a few years at most, we realize that we are all interested in the proper conservation of the uncertain supply.

The action of the Fayette County Natural Gas Company in shutting off the wholesale supplies of gas for manufacturing plants is at once public-spirited and business-like; public-spirited, because the comfort of the community depended upon the maintenance of the domestic supply; public-spirited, because the domestic rate is much higher than the manufacturing rate.

Natural gas is too fine a fuel for manufacturing purposes, especially in this section where coal is cheap and abundant, and the people who own gas wells and gas territory are not conserving their own interests by selling their gas for whatever they can get for it.

West Virginia proposed a short time since to restrict if not actually forbid the diversion of any part of its gas supply to points outside of the State, but it was pointed out that such a law would be unconstitutional and the matter dropped. West Virginia, however, will be better off if its gas companies stop the sale of natural gas for manufacturing purposes altogether.

The greater good to the greatest number, which in this case includes the greatest profit to the producer, demands that natural gas be sold at retail rather than at wholesale.

## THE ROCKWATER DEMOCRACY OF FAYETTE COUNTY.

The Uniontown Gazette, having plenty of space to spare just now, permits Editor John Longwinded Keffer to occupy a couple of columns for the purpose of telling the remainder of a once proud and vainglorious Fayette county Democracy what a bad man the editor of The Courier has become since he refused to subscribe to that modern antithesis of ancient Democracy better known among keen analysts as Bryanism.

Editor Keffer subscribes to it because he doesn't know any better. He is one of the original Dumbbells of the Democracy, like that of many other Bryan followers in Democracy in name and not in substance. Barring a few high-sounding phrases borrowed from Bryan's speeches and Osgood's Readers, Editor Keffer's knowledge of Democracy does not extend beyond the name, and the name has been Republican as well as Democratic.

Editor Keffer's Democracy is of the Rockwater variety peculiar to Greene county. It knows no faith but blind worship of the name. It has never learned, or will not believe, that the real Democracy has been sandbagged and its robe stolen by robbers. It continues to bewail its own fate, but its faith is fully expressed in the language of an old Connelville Rockwaterman who gilded his teeth and said he would vote for Horace Greeley, but added in explanation, "I'd vote for the Devil if he was on the Democratic ticket."

## A TIMELY WARNING TO BODY-CARVERS.

The Italian cutting affair early this morning wasn't a Black Hand affair, but it indicates a bad disposition on the part of some of the participants.

It may be all right in some places to settle personal and business differences by a peaceable cutting match, but in this country we settle our differences by the arbitrament of the law, and this live longer and happier and better; and the rule we lay down for ourselves, we prescribe for others who come to make their homes with us.

The unsunny sons of Italy will take notice that when they take the law into their own hands they are in grave danger of being taken into the hands of the law and dealt with in a manner the very deliberation of which means prolonged and painfully-drawn out punishment.

The bugaboo of military despotism held aloft by labor leaders in the discussion of the State Constabulary will deceive anybody. The opposition to the State Constabulary came not from people who wish to be free to defy the law when it seems to their interest to do so.

The Uniontown Herald says the blizzard was indecent, but it wasn't quite as indecent as some of the Herald's comments.

Great men were born 1809. Let us hope that history repeats itself at least once every century.

Joseph Vankirk Thompson's position in the Greene county coal market is consistent. He is a buyer and a seller, but he is never a bear.

It begins to look as if Theodore I is due to go out of office amid a babel

of blithering blatherings with the members of Congress and others, not excepting the newspapers instead of stopping out of the White House in a blaze of glory amid the universal acclaim of the politicians and the people. The prospect is regrettable, but it illustrates the dangers of either speaking or writing too freely, too recklessly and to violently.

Some of our political advertisements have not been plainly marked, but we trust that it is fully understood that The Courier is playing no favorites.

The crimson glow of better times is reflected in the Connelville office region horizon without the aid or consent of the dismal demagogues of the Democratic press.

The White Plague has taken a former member of the editorial staff of this paper. In the roar of the wild winter storm, Saturday evening, Clara Horner sank peacefully into eternal sleep. He was cut down in the flower of his young manhood, but not before he had done a good portion of the work which newspaper men do in the unifying cause of humanity. Editors and reporters are only human, to be sure, and they have their weaknesses and perhaps their wickedness as well as other people, but in the industrial arena none work more faithfully, none do so much that is so little appreciated, none save their brethren with greater zeal and less reward, none promote the public welfare with less public appreciation. Clara Horner did not get much reward in this life for his work. There is something coming to him in the Great Beyond.

There is too much water to suit the Point Marion bridge builder.

Illinois Republicans are suffering from an outbreak of insurgency.

The Unofficial Organ says the Solid North is breaking up into Indiana, the only North that isn't solid around the section is the North who was born south of Mason's and Dixon's line.

The Tough is coming up and going down. We need the water, but it is perhaps best that the river goes down almost if not fully as fast as it comes up.

Some people who favor consolidation would advance its prospects by being less critical and more charitable.

The News says the defeat of John Wesley Kern for Senator means the breaking up of the Solid North. The conclusion is far-fetched and foolish, but there is nothing foolish about Tat's taste for "possum and sweet" inters.

West Newton is slow, but she is swift enough to catch on to the check swindling sounder.

The theatrical business is looking up, when the business looks up everybody may look up.

Thornton Jenkins Haines has been recruited. The only wonder is that he was ever tried. It was never in evidence that he shot anybody.

The Mount Pleasant bankers may be able to exchange experiences with Cashier Rutherford, but they will hardly exchange sentences.

It's up to the people, says the New Haven Town Council, and they say quite right.

The drought went out in a wild mountain storm.

The Beautiful Snow is all right for the boy with a sled and the young man with a cutter and a best girl, but it's no fun for the railroad and trolley people. There is, however, a large measure of the end of the drought.

It blew so hard Saturday night that some people imagined Colonel Bill Bryan was around.

Richtart was crooked to the last.

The business of jury-fixing is just as apt to fix the jurors as it is to fix anybody else.

There is fighting on for a certificate of sanity.

The Connelville merchants have been unfortunate with their Saturday business during the last several months. The Weather Works seems to be working against them.

The business of bank-breaking is becoming very unwise.

The New Haven Council recognizes the right of the people to pass upon consolidation.

It seems odd that the foreigners perished in walking our railroad tracks and getting killed thereon, especially in view of the fact that the railways of England and Europe are usually forced to.

The insinuation that Chief Rottler is not a musician is the worst insult, but will be hard to convince Connelville people that so faithful an attendant at the Lederkrantz can possibly fail to be a musician.

The movement to regulate the county accounts is proper and timely.

The West Penn lighting department narrowly escaped the fate of Gaul.

Snyderstown is getting electric light service. The very suggestion of its being a part of Connelville borough brings its people modern conveniences.

The summer picnic people hunt dates in winter and all them in summer. It is a mistake to assume that their business closes with the end of summer.

It wasn't the worst blizzard in 50 years—not by a long way. Forty of our White House youngsters who just one been in the county about forty-eight hours know about it anyhow.

It was a Blizzard all right but we have had some harder winds in recent years.

Senator-elect Burton remains the fine Stick of the Rivers and Harbors Committee.

Brownsville is getting free delivery. The old Port is coming some.

The Connelville's army's possibilities are just being appreciated.

The man who spends his spare moments prophesying evil could be better employed.

## Classified Ads One Cent a Word.

## Wanted.

WANTED—BOARDERS AT 141 EAST PEACH STREET. Jan18/09

WANTED—GET THE BEST SUIT or Overcoat made for \$18. DAVID COHEN, Tailor.

WANTED—DRISMAKING AND all kinds of sewing 3-7 NORTH PROSPERITY STREET. Jan18/09

FOR RENT—Six-room house, fair view avenue, gas for fuel and light. Seven-room house, Washington avenue, gas electric light, bath, four-room house, Baldwin avenue. Six-room house, Cedar and Francis avenues. All with water inside. Very cheap rents. Apply ROBBINS & HOOD, Wells Bldg Jan18/09

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS FOR high housekeeping 607 EAST GREEN STREET. Jan18/09

FOR RENT—ONE STORY ROOM ON ground floor 120 South Pittsburg Street. Inquire at Courier Office. Jan18/09

FOR SALE—AT BARGAIN PRICE—second hand rebuilt Smith Premier typewriter. Can be seen at this office. Jan18/09

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND REBUILT Smith Premier typewriter. One machine at \$10 and another at \$10. Inquire at this office. Jan18/09

FOR SALE—LOTS IN SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE are bargains just now. CONNELLSVILLE EXHIBITION COMPANY OFFICE THE COURIER BUILDING, Connelville, Pa. Jan18/09

FOR SALE—SMALL BRICK HOUSE and lot in South Connelville cheap as an investment or as a home for workman tired of paying rent. For particulars, call on or address H. P. SNYDER, The Courier office, Connelville, Pa. Jan18/09

## FOR RENT.

3-room House, bath, gas hot and cold water, Aetna and Patterson, \$22.00.

6-room House on West Fayette street, has gas and water, \$15.00.

10-room House on West Main and Murphy (modern), \$17.00.

8-room House on Eighth street, has gas and water, \$15.00.

2-family House on Francis Avenue, 1 room on side only, \$8.00 a side.

House on Eighth street, 1 room, water and gas, rent for \$12.00.

South Connelville Property for Rent.

6-room House on First street, water in house, only \$8.00.

4-room House on First street, gas and water in house, \$8.00.

4-room House on First street, only \$7.00 a month.

4-room House on First street, at end of this lot, \$9.00.

4-room House on Paper Mill Road, large lot only \$10.00.

## JOS. A. MASON,

Cor. Main and Arch Sts.

## SPECIAL

Our Inventory is taken, and we offer you the following unparalleled bargains to clean up our stock. Come quickly, as the prices are just half what the goods cost.

25 Ladies' and Misses' Coats in 3/4 length styles that sold for \$5.00 and \$6. Your choice \$1.99 while they last.

25 Ladies' and Misses' Coats, \$5.00 to \$8.00 values, wonderful bargains, \$2.99 at.

50 Ladies' Skirts, a great variety of styles, \$2.50 to \$5.00 skirts. Hurry and get you selection \$1.99 for.

## SCHMITZ'

New York Racket Store.

## Walk-Over Shoes

The Best

You may talk about the make of this shoe—the style of that—and the comfort of the other—but the shoe that gives the best all-around satisfaction is the shoe that wears the longest, lasts the longest and costs the least—all of which comfort, durability and satisfaction will be found in the Walk-Over Shoe at

\$3.50 and \$4.00

for all styles and leathers.

SOLD ONLY BY

C. W. DOWNS & CO.,

Connellsville's Leading High Grade Shoe Store

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Change in Firm.

The law firm of Sterling Higbee & Dumbauld has been changed by the retirement of H. S. Dumbauld whose place is taken by R. S. Matthews. Mr. Dumbauld will continue practice at his former office, 20 1/2 Court street, Uniontown, Pa.

The firm of Sterling Higbee & Matthews will retain their offices in Connelville, and also at Room No. 14, Court street, Uniontown, Pa. This arrangement is effective January 11, 1909.

11 S. DUMBBAULD STERLING, HIGBEE & MATTHEWS

STABLE-BRANT PLUMBING CO.

Plumbing, tinning, slating, hot water, steam and hot air heating. Repair work of all kinds promptly attended to. Estimates cheerfully furnished on all contracts. Office 322 S. Pittsburg Street.

J. L. EVANS,

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HURGESS OF CONNELLSVILLE.

Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary January 23, 1909. Your vote and influence respectfully solicited.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

JOHN IRWIN,

of Connelville.

Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary January 23, 1909.

CONNELLSVILLE, UNIONTOWN, GREENSBURG.

The Story of Our Tailoring is Told in Few Words:

We make to order and measure only to fit and to satisfy. We carry no ready-made. Our goods come straight from the mill, in mill lots, at mill prices.

We have the biggest tailor stores in Connelville, Greensburg and Uniontown.

We make as quickly as you need and for about the price you would pay for ready-made.

We make in much less time than any other good tailor, and for about half his price. And we guarantee.

All clothes made by us pressed and kept in repair free of charge for one year.

THE MOSS TAILORING COMPANY,

147 W. Main St., Season Block

B. M. MOSS, Mgr.

## Dunn's Cash Stores.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Western Pennsylvania—Generally fair Monday and Tuesday, except snow next week Monday.

STOCK TAKING WEEK

Next week we take stock at this store. Only the days that are left of this week in which to get rid of lots of goods that we do not want to count and measure. It will be worth your while to visit this store on any or every day this week. For every day this week will be a bargain day at this store. We ask you to come in and look over the bargain tables, compare the prices with the value of the goods and judge for yourself just how much you are saving by buying now.

The Coats.

Most of the Coats here are off the regular prices. None more some less. More of the children's Coats sizes 8 to 12 years than other sizes but plenty of almost every other size. You know the value of these coats. Plenty of winter weather yet to come and we ask you to come and see these.

Furs.

Going to get rid of most of our furs this week. Prices on them that if we had no more fur worth it this winter and you bought them next winter you would be getting a bargain.

Suits.

Almost half a dozen Suits here. All but one black and most of them large sizes. Willing to make a price that will be satisfactory if any one of the six is what you want. If you're a thought of one of these don't put it off until the last day of the week. Intend selling these to some one this week.

The Bargain Tables.

Every department in this store has contributed to these bargain tables. Odds and ends and small lots that are lots of trouble to count and measure. A price ticked on every one and a price that means their being sold this week.

Remnant Tables.

Short lengths of Dress Goods and Silks. Every price measured and marked with price and length. Enough in some of the Dress Goods for children's dresses and separate skirts, while many of the silks are in lengths enough for waists.

The New Percaloes and Ginghams.

Showing this week lots of new Percaloes and Ginghams in the new Spring patterns. Make up these patterns. ATO Midtown a Percaloe Waist from any of these patterns. Regular sizes. Material and all for \$1.25. But for the advantage of this offer, before the new suits come in. We can not take care of you if they are here.

The New 9x12 Rugs.

The new Spring patterns are here now in the Tapestry Body Brussels and Shmoo Velvets. No more now for you to choose from than under on Spring Rugs. Almost every day now and we'll keep anything you choose until you are ready for it.

Dunn's Cash Stores.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

JUST A FEW OF OUR MANY MONEY SAVERS DURING OUR JANUARY SALE.

JUST 4 FALL SUITS LEFT.

Two black broadcloth suits, size 38 and 40, formerly sold at \$25.00, the price to close them out is

\$10.00

One (1) red serge suit, size 16, formerly \$14.50, YOU CAN HAVE THIS ONE FOR

\$6.50

One brown broadcloth suit, size 36, regular price \$25.00, the price now is

\$10.00

Two (2) suits of last spring, you can have them at a sacrifice.

One (1) black Panama spring suit, size 36, \$10, now

\$4.50

One (1) brown mohair suit, size 16, formerly sold at \$14.00, the price to close it out is

\$6.50

This is positively every suit we have in the house. WHITE-WAISTING

All open stock of white waists, at 25% off former price.

DOMESTICS

ALL THE VERY BEST CALICOES ..... 5c

GOOD APRON GINGHAMS ..... 4 1/2c

BEST 10c SHIRTING ..... 8 1/2c

10c DRESS GINGHAMS ..... 8 1/2c

19c UNBLEACHED 9-4 SHEETING ..... 16c

25c BLEACHED 10-4 SHEETING ..... 21c

50c BLEACHED SHEETS ..... 42c

15c PILLOW CASES ..... 12 1/2c

12 1/2c BLEACHED PILLOW CASING ..... 10c

6 1/2c UNBLEACHED OUTFINGS ..... 5c

6 1/2c LIGHT AND DARK OUTFINGS ..... 5c

8 1/2c UNBLEACHED OUTFING ..... 7 1/2c

7 1/2c and 8 1/2c BLEACHED CANTON ..... 6 1/2c

5 1/2c UNBLEACHED CANTON ..... 5c

8c and 9c BLEACHED MUSLIN ..... 6 1/2c

6 1/2c UNBLEACHED MUSLIN ..... 5 1/2c

5c COTTON TOWELING ..... 4c

10c COTTON CHALLIES ..... 6c

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

79c GREY WOOL UNDERWEAR ..... 63c

\$1.00 GREY AND RED WOOL UNDERWEAR ..... 75c

\$1.50 GREY WOOL UNDERWEAR ..... \$1.25

\$1.75 GREY WOOL UNDERWEAR ..... \$1.50

45c FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR ..... 33c

MEN'S COAT SWEATERS ..... 25% Off

SOME \$1.00 LIGHT DRESS SHIRTS ..... 75c

Some 50c light and dark Dress Shirts ..... 39c

50c SUSPENDERS ..... 39c

25c SUSPENDERS ..... 19c

50c WORK GLOVES ..... 39c

25c WORK GLOVES ..... 19c

BOYS' 25c KNEE PANTS ..... 19c

BOYS' 50c KNEE PANTS ..... 39c

MANY OTHER SUCH BARGAINS NOT MENTIONED IN THIS AD.

106 W. MAIN STREET, — CONNELLSVILLE.

## Dunn's Cash Stores.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

129, 131 and



## ELKS PLANNING FOR MINSTREL SHOW.

Will Give Annual Event in  
February to Eclipse For-  
mer Events.

### FIRST REHEARSAL THIS EVENING

C. D. Anderson is Chairman This  
Year With an Enthusiastic Com-  
mittee—New Features Planned for the  
Big Event.

The Conneltsville lodge of Elks will  
put on its annual minstrel perform-  
ance in February, and indications are  
that the show will be better and  
brighter than ever in spite of the  
short time left for preparations. The  
time decided upon is February 15 and  
16. This will bring the performance  
on Thursday and Friday evenings,  
while a matinee will be presented  
Friday afternoon.

The first rehearsal will be held this  
evening. Stader's hall has been se-  
cured for this purpose. Those who  
have participated in previous per-  
formances are invited to report for  
practice while volunteers and no  
vice will be welcomed.

C. D. Anderson is the chairman,  
secretary and treasurer of the Exe-  
cutive Committee which will have the  
affair in charge. The other members  
of this committee are D. F. Girard,  
C. W. Patterson, Andrew Haas, S. B.  
Sicklesmith, E. H. Kintner, P. A.  
Buttmore, Jesse Whaley and Ray  
Ryan.

The following members have been  
appointed chairman of committees,  
with authority to name the other  
members: Music, C. D. Anderson;  
Program, D. F. Girard; Properties,  
Jesse Whaley; Tickets, C. W. Pat-  
terson; Costumes, Andrew Haas;  
Reception, Ray Ryan, E. H. Kintner,  
S. B. Sicklesmith and P. A. But-  
tmore.

Every effort will be made this  
year to outshine all previous perform-  
ances and indications are that the  
Elks will succeed. They are develop-  
ing some new number and have the  
foundation for a splendid perform-  
ance, according to the judgment of  
those familiar with the situation.

## FARMERS HOLD THEIR MONTHLY MEETING.

Union Farmers' Club Gather at the  
Home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Junk  
Near Uniontown.

Despite the inclement weather the  
regular monthly meeting of the Union  
Farmers' Club of Fayette county held  
last Saturday at the home of Mr. and  
Mrs. John Junk near Uniontown was  
largely attended by farmers and  
their families from all over the  
county. The meeting was the first  
one of the new year and the installa-  
tion of officers took place. The regu-  
lar business was transacted after  
which the guests assembled in the  
dining room where an elaborate din-  
ner was served.

The subject for discussion was  
"Hindrances to the Prosperity of  
Farmers in This Country." Very fine  
papers were read by A. G. Ogilvie  
and George Bryson. The next meet-  
ing will be held on the third Saturday  
in February. Mr. and Mrs. Watson  
Dunn of Flatwoods were among those  
who attended the meeting from Dun-  
bar township.

Establishing Credit.  
One of the most important things  
to the young business man starting a  
new business, is good credit. It is  
always a matter of prudence to make  
strong bank connections. Your check-  
ing account is solicited by the Cit-  
izens National Bank, Citizens Na-  
tional Bank, Conneltsville, Pa. Cap-  
ital, \$100,000.00 Surplus and profits,  
\$90,000.00.

Classified ads, one cent a word.

Rouge Croix  
OLIVE OIL  
Pint 65¢  
GRAHAM & CO.

**SORE THROAT**  
**Catarrh-Asthma**  
**HYOMEI**  
(PAINKILLER HYAM-O-ME)

Will Cure Them All. If it don't A. A.  
Clarke Will Give You Your  
Money Back.

Just breathe it in through the hard  
rubber inhaler that comes with each  
outlet. It relieves in a few minutes.  
Complete outfit, \$1.00.  
"HYOMEI" sold in every town in  
America.

# VALUES AT THE MERCY of The PEOPLE

## NECESSITY KNOWS NO LAW.

We Must Resort to the Only Means at Hand  
to Raise \$15,000 Quick. We Offer Our  
\$75,000 Stock at a Sacrifice

## Regardless of Its Worth or Value!

The throng of shoppers at our Mammoth Store the first three days of our

## GREAT MONEY-RAISING SALE

Proves that we deliver the goods as advertised. We are determined to make Tues-  
day, Wednesday and Thursday a repetition of the first three days' selling of our 10  
Days Sale, and we know the columns below will make it easy work for us.

## YOUR MONEY BACK FOR THE ASKING.

### Ladies' Ready- to-Wear Department.

97c for Black Satin Petticoats that  
were \$1.50.

\$4.80 for Ladies' Raincoats in grey and  
tan cravenette, that were \$10.

\$4.60 for Silk Waists in black, blue  
and brown, that were \$6.50.

\$1.95 for White China Silk Waists,  
that were \$3.95.

\$9.80 for Carvel Cloth Coats, guaran-  
teed satin lining, that were \$20.

\$10.80 for Silk Velour Jacket, that  
was \$25.00.

\$9.80 for Crushed Plush Coat, that  
was \$16.50.

\$12.80 for Three quarter Length Coat,  
made of black satin, with om-  
brodery trimmings, that were \$25.

\$12.80 for one piece Dresses, made of  
silk and chiffon Panama, that  
were \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$21.00.

\$12.80 for Silk Velour Coats, that  
were \$30.00.

\$12.80 for Russian Pony Cloth Coats,  
Satinette satin lined, that were  
\$26.50.

\$2.95 for Ladies' Skirts in blue, black  
and grey, that were \$5.95.

\$1.79 for Lawn, Mohair and Madras  
Waists, that were \$2.95.

### Millinery Department.

98c for Ladies' Trimmed Hats, that  
were \$2, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

98c for Ladies' Trimmed Hats, that  
were \$1.95, \$2.50, \$3, and \$3.50.

\$1.98 for Children's Trimmed Hats,  
that were \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.50.

ALL HATS TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE.

### Lace Curtains.

47c for Lace Curtains, 2½ yards long,  
that were 60c.

68c for Lace Curtains, 3 yards long,  
that were \$1.25.

34c for ruffled Swiss Curtains, 2½ yards  
long, that were 50c.

47c for ruffled Swiss Curtains, 2½ yards  
long, that were 75c.

### Dress Goods.

29c for heavy Corduroy and Velveteen,  
in tan, black, garnet and green,  
that were 75c per yard.

5c for double width Linings, slightly sold,  
that were 15c and 25c per yard.

34c for plaid striped and figured Dress  
Goods, 36 inches wide, that were 50c  
per yard.

16c for plaid, plain and fancy Dress  
Goods, that were 25c per yard.

74c for Broadcloth in plain colors, 72  
inches wide, that was \$1.25 per yd.

\$1.22 for Broadcloth in red, brown and  
garnet, 72 inches wide, that was  
\$1.75 per yard.

### Domestics.

38c for Sheets, 72x90, bleached and un-  
bleached, that were 75c.

8c for Percales, light and dark, that  
were 12½c and 15c.

8c for Cutting Flannels, light and dark  
colors, that were 15c per yard.

9c for Flannel Towels, bleached and un-  
bleached, that were 18c.

11c for Turkish Towels, that were 20c.

16c for Red Damask, 54 inches wide,  
that was 25c per yard.

4c for Calicoes, that were 6c per yard.

### Rugs.

All Hearth Rugs at One-Half Price.

50c for Rugs, that were \$1.00.

75c for Rugs, that were \$1.50.

\$1.25 for Rugs, that were \$2.50.

\$1.50 for Rugs, that were \$3.00.

\$2.00 for Rugs, that were \$4.00.

### Blankets.

68c for Cotton Blankets, 10-1 size, that  
were \$1.00.

88c for Cotton Blankets, 11-1 size, that  
were \$1.25.

\$1.64 for Extra Large Size Cotton  
Blankets, that were \$2.25.

\$2.98 for strictly all wool Blankets,  
11-1 size, that were \$4.25.

\$4.35 for extra fine all wool Blankets,  
11-1 size, that were \$6.50.

### Ladies' Furnishings.

12c for Ladies' Fleece Lined and Cash-  
mere Hose, that were 20c.

18c for Ladies' Black Fleece Lined Hose  
that were 25c.

18c for Ladies' Hose, with white feet, in  
regular and out sizes, that were 25c.

18c for Children's Cashmere Hose, all  
sizes, that were 25c.

36c for Ladies' Fine Cashmere Hose,  
that were 50c.

21c for Ladies' Hose Supporters, all col-  
ors, that were 35c.

2c for Ladies' White Handkerchiefs, that  
were 5c.

4c for Ladies' White Handkerchiefs, that  
were 10c.

8c for Ladies' White Handkerchiefs, that  
were 15c.

### Ladies' Underwear.

36c for Corset Covers and Drawers,  
trimmed with hemstitching, lace em-  
brodery and tucks, that were 50c.

19c for Corset Covers and Drawers,  
trimmed with torchon lace and in-  
sertion, that were 25c.

28c for Children's Flannellette Night  
Gowns, in fancy colors, that were  
50c.

23c for Ladies' Fancy Kimonos, that  
were 50c.

38c for Ladies' Fancy Kimonos, that  
were 75c.

68c for Ladies' Wool Underwear, in nat-  
ural and white, that was \$1.00.

16c for Ladies' Fleece lined Underwear,  
that was 25c.

38c for Union Suits, fleece lined for  
boys and girls, that were 60c.

79c for Flannellette Wrappers, that  
were \$1.50.

\$1.45 for Ladies' Union Suits, in black  
wool, that was \$2.25.

### White Spreads.

\$1.16 for Bate's fine White Crochet  
Quilts, that were \$1.50.

89c for 10-4 size Crochet Quilts, that  
were \$1.25.

### Gents' Furnishings.

29c for Men's heavy fleece lined and  
ribbed Underwear, that was 50c.

38c for Men's Work Shirts, in blue cham-  
bray, and black and white, that were  
50c.

25c for Men's and Boys' Silk Four-in-  
hand Ties, that were 50c.

38c for Men's and Boys' Dress Shirts,  
that were 75c.

50c for Men's White Stiff Bosom Shirts,  
slightly soiled—the Monarch brand;  
sizes 14, 16, 17, 17½ and 18, that were \$1.

12c for Children's Ties in fancy  
colors, that were 25c.

23c for Men's extra heavy wool Work  
Shirts, that were 35c.

85c for Men's Blue Flannel Shirts, that  
were \$1.50.

25c for Children's Beaslin Tana-  
Shirts, that were \$1.00.

4c for Men's White Handkerchiefs, that  
were 10c.

8c for Men's White Handkerchiefs, that  
were 15c.

### Shoes.

15c for Children's Rubbers, sizes 8 to  
10, that were 45c.

50c for Boys' Arctics, in all sizes, that  
were \$1.00.

29c for Men's Women's and Boys' Rub-  
bers, that were 50c and 75c.

1.29 for Ladies' Dress Shoes, in lace,  
blucher and button styles, that  
were \$2.00.

50c for Ladies' Alaska Rubbers, that  
were \$1.00.

1.35 for Boys' Dress Shoes, that were  
\$2.00.

98c for Boys' and Children's Shoes, that  
were \$1.50.

1.18 for Boys' and Misses' School  
Shoes, that were \$1.75.

98c for Men's Work Shoes, that were  
\$1.50.

1.35 for Men's Dress and Work Shoes,  
that were \$2.00.

1.15 for Ladies' Shoes, in blucher  
style only, that were \$1.75.

### Clothing Department.

98c for Boys' Suits in Gray Cassi-  
mire, that were \$1.75.

\$2.58 for Men's Corduroy Pants, in all  
shades, the best makes such as  
Sweet Orr & Co., and Stag Brand, that were  
\$3.50 and \$4.00.

98c for Washable Vests, in plain white  
and neat striped and checked pat-  
terns, that were \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

3.98 for Leather Suit Cases, in light  
or dark colors, that were \$5.00  
and \$6.00.

### 17c FOR BOYS' KNEE PANTS.

3.90 for Men's Suits, made of black  
Thibet, fancy and gray cassi-  
mire, those were \$6.50 and \$7.50.

5.40 for Men's Suits, made of black  
Thibet, brown and gray cassi-  
mire, neat striped and checked patterns,  
that were \$8.50 and \$10.00.

7.80 for Men's Suits, made of fancy  
mixed cassimere, in brown, Lon-  
don smoke and tan, also blue serge and  
black thibet, that were \$12.00 and \$14.50.

9.80 for Men's Suits, made of blue  
serge, black thibet, fancy cassi-  
mire and worsteds, that were \$16.50 and  
\$18.00.

1.58 for Boys' Knee Pants Suits, in  
brown and dark mixtures, with  
plain or Knickerbocker pants, were \$2.50  
and \$2.95.

2.58 for Boys' Suits, in black, brown  
and dark fancy mixtures, plain  
and belted coats, Knickerbocker pants, that  
were \$4.00 to \$5.00.

1.78 for Boys' and Children's Over-  
coats, in blue, dark gray and tan  
effect, overcoatings that were \$3.50 and \$4.

2.65 for Boys' Reetere, made of unfin-  
ished worsteds and covert cloth,  
in fancy tan materials, checks and stripes,  
with velvet collars, that were \$3.75 to \$5.

5.90 for Men's Raincoats in the desir-  
able shades of gray cravenette,  
that were \$12.50.

7.80 for Men's Raincoats, in black,  
plain and shadow stripe gray,  
that were \$15.00.

9.80 for Men's Raincoats, in black,  
gray and neat stripe patterns, all  
lengths and sizes, that were \$18 to \$20.

### Linoleums.

68c for Cook's Best Linoleums, 2 yards  
wide, that was \$1.25.

### Carpets.

58c for Brussels Carpet, in floral and  
Persian designs, that was \$1.00 per  
yard.

38c for Ingrain Carpet, 36 inches wide,  
that was 75c per yard.

90c for Body Brussels Carpets, that was  
\$1.50 per yard.

Remember  
This Sale  
Lasts Only  
Ten Days.

**MACE & CO.,**  
N. PITTSBURG ST. CONNELLSVILLE.

Shop any Day  
of the Sale. We  
have plenty of  
Goods to  
Supply all Demands

## FINISH FIGHT FOR OPEN SHOP.

Hat Manufacturers Consult  
and Announce Their  
Policy.

### SAY LIDS WILL RISE IN PRICE

President Mundheim of the Associated Hatters Says Union Label Has Been Discarded Permanently—Will Not Go Back.

New York, Jan. 18.—The open shop had a fight to the finish in the action decided upon by the hat manufacturers' association, an effort of the strike which began last week, according to the manufacturers, will be a rise in the price of hats, as the trouble occurred in the busy season.

Twelve members, comprising the board of directors of the hat manufacturers' association, attended the meeting. President Samuel Mundheim, who was in the chair, made the announcement after the meeting that the manufacturers had decided for the open shop and were prepared to fight to a finish. He said the number of strikers was between 15,000 and 20,000, but that there were many non-union hatters out of employment and that eventually the places of the strikers would be filled.

Mr. Mundheim, in discussing the discontinuance of the union label by the manufacturers, which precipitated the strike, said: "The label is of no advantage to the manufacturers and indeed is not wanted. Very few people who buy hats notice whether the label is in or not."

The manufacturers' president ridiculed the report that the union had \$400,000 with which to make the fight. He said, however, that the hatters' union was one of the strongest labor organizations in the country.

### AS UNCROWNED KING

Taft Is Introduced to Negro Audience by "Black Spurgeon."

Augusta, Ga., Jan. 18.—Introduced to a big audience of men, comprising the negro Y. M. C. A. of this city, as "the most popular and conspicuous citizen of the United States; America's great statesman, our uncrowned king, for whom we wish a successful administration and a second term," by the famous Dr. Walker, known as the "Black Spurgeon," Mr. Taft became greatly interested in discussing the Christian spirit of Y. M. C. A. work and talked for an unusually long time to his enthusiastic listeners.

Dr. Walker painted a bright present and a brighter future for the negroes of Georgia, who owned, he said, a million acres of land in the state and paid taxes on \$20,000,000 worth of property.

### FOR WIDOWS AND ORPHANS

Subscription Started for Relatives of Lick Branch Victims.

Bluefield, W. Va., Jan. 18.—A subscription fund has been started in the Pocahontas, Tag River, Tazewell and Clinch Valley coal fields for the widows, orphans and dependents who are left without support as a result of the two explosions at Lick Branch mine at Switchback, W. Va., which cost 115 lives.

The independent operators and people of this field have asked that the general public be asked to contribute to the fund. The operators ask that all subscriptions be addressed to L. G. Toney, president of the First National Bank, Northfork, W. Va.

### MINE OWNERS EXONERATED

Coroner's Jury Renders Verdict in Second Lick Branch Disaster.

Bluefield, W. Va., Jan. 18.—The coroner's jury has reached a verdict as a result of their investigation into the death of the sixty-five men who were killed in Lick Branch mine explosion last Tuesday. The jury decided that the explosion was caused by an overcharged shot in room 21 of the mine and that sixty-five men came to their death through the fault of the Pocahontas Consolidated Colliery company or the Lick Branch colliery.

Dr. Mitchell will make a report on the result of the inquiry to the state legislature.

### 348 AUTOS DESTROYED

Fire Demolishes Six Big Garages in Boston.

Boston, Jan. 18.—A puff of smoke shot up from the rear of the most extensive automobile storage and repair plant in the city, located near Park square, and half an hour later more than 348 automobiles, valued at \$750,000, were a mass of tangled steel and iron.

The fire spread to the old train shed of the Park Square railroad station and destroyed the bicycle track and a large pavilion used for exhibition purposes.

Wooded a Widow in Vain.

Springfield, O., Jan. 18.—Because Mrs. Alice Timmons, age thirty-three, refused to marry him Peter Kelly, age twenty-six, a mobster, she attempted to murder her with a razor, then, finding that his attempt was unsuccessful, drank carbolic acid, dying in the patrol wagon while being taken to the city hospital.

### DIAMOND JUBILEE.

Methodists Celebrate Tonight Birth of Church Missions.

Washington, Jan. 18.—In the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal church in this city Methodists will celebrate with prayer and music and addresses the diamond jubilee of the beginning of the missionary movement of the church. Seventy-five years ago the church sent out its first missionary in the person of Melville B. Cox, who landed on the west coast of Africa in Liberia, and began the work that has now spread to all parts of the civilized and uncivilized world.

President Roosevelt and Vice President Fairbanks will speak at tonight's celebration. Other speakers will be Earl Cruikshank, Methodist Episcopal bishop of Washington, and Joseph C. Hartzell, missionary bishop to Africa since 1890.

One purpose of the celebration is the starting of a fund to equip in better manner the stations of the Methodist Episcopal church in Africa. There are six of these in different parts of the continent, and the sum of \$300,000 is needed to aid in the spreading of their work. Members of the church will be asked tonight to contribute that sum in commemoration of the diamond jubilee, in addition to their regular offerings.

### GOES IN FOR ART

President Outlines Plans for an Authoritative National Council.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Quick to appreciate the plea that the fine arts have been denied that governmental consideration so universally accorded by other nations, as suggested by the American Institute of Architects, President Roosevelt has taken the first step looking to their recognition by his government. The president announced that he has asked the institute to designate the names of thirty men representing all parts of the country to compose a council of the fine arts.

The object of the council, which is to consist of architects, painters, sculptors, landscape architects and laymen, of which the supervising architect of the treasury is to be the executive head, is to advise upon the character and design of all public works of architecture, paintings, sculpture, all monuments, parks, bridges and other works in which the art of design forms an integral part, and to make suggestions and recommendations for the conservation of all historic monuments.

### KNOCKERS' CLUB DINES

Employees of Government Printing Office Celebrate Franklin's Birth.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Among the notable big dinners of the season here was that given at the Arlington hotel by the Knights of Monius, or "Knockers' club," composed of foremen and objects of division of the government printing office. The dinner is an annual event on the anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin.

President Samuel Compton and his associates of the American Federation of Labor, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, senators and members of congress were made the victims of mirth, with the aid of bogus secret service detectives.

Among the guests were President Lynch of the International Typographical union, Public Printer Donnelly, Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau; Representatives Kiefer, Kahn, John Sharp Williams, Olcott, Barchfield, Hull, Rausch, Sulzer and Senators Warner, Clark, Smith and Taylor.

### TAFT KEEPS HANDS OFF

Oregon Senatorial Fight Must Be Settled Without His Aid.

Salem, Ore., Jan. 18.—Word was received today from President-elect Taft declining to be drawn into the senatorial fight here. The legislature tomorrow will vote for United States senator to succeed Senator Charles W. Fulton and a majority of the members keep their non-allocation pledges Governor George A. Chamberlain, a Democrat, will be chosen, although the legislature is largely Republican.

A majority of the members before election pledged themselves to vote for the candidate for United States senator who received the largest vote in the election last June. In the election Governor Chamberlain received a majority of several thousand votes over H. M. Calk, his Republican opponent.

### CASTRO WILL RETURN

Says He Will Live as Private Citizen in Venezuela.

Berlin, Jan. 18.—Cipriano Castro, the former president of Venezuela, questioned concerning his plans for the future, said:

"My present intention is to return to Venezuela as soon as my health will permit me to make the voyage. My plan is to live as a private citizen in my native land. If it is desired to take proceedings against me I will be there. The idea of starting a revolution of any kind has not entered my head."

### WANT VOTES IN NEW YORK

Woman Suffragists Begin Two Weeks' Campaign in Yonkers Tonight.

New York, Jan. 18.—Initiating to some extent their strenuous English sisters, the woman suffragists of New York state will begin tonight at Yonkers a vigorous two weeks' campaign, covering the state as far up as Albany. The movement will wind up in two large meetings in the state capital intended to impress the state legislature with the strength of the movement. They will be held Jan. 25 and 26.

### DENEEN SWORN IN.

Strenuous Week in Illinois Politics Is Forecasted.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—In addition to the installation of Governor Charles S. Deneen and other Republican state officers today in the state house, this week probably will see the election of



CHARLES S. DENEEN.

a United States senator to succeed Albert J. Hopkins, who was endorsed by primary election for reelection to the Senate.

There was no apparent reason to doubt the reelection of Senator Hopkins until Edward J. Shurtliff and twenty-four other Republicans bolted the regular Republican caucus when the legislature met on Jan. 6 and, forming a bi-partisan coalition with Democratic assemblymen, elected Shurtliff speaker. Since then the Republicans have been in fear lest the "insurgents" and the Democrats cause a deadlock over the senatorship as they did over the declaration of the reelection of Governor Deneen.

### ENGINEER BLAMED

Twenty-One Killed in Disaster Near Glenwood, Col.

Denver, Jan. 18.—Twenty-one persons lost their lives and between forty and sixty others were injured in a collision between Denver and Rio Grande passenger train No. 5 and an east-bound freight eighteen miles east of Glenwood Springs, because Gustav Olson, a veteran engineer of the system, failed to obey orders.

The responsibility for the disaster, which is the third worst in the history of the Denver and Rio Grande, has been officially laid at the door of Engineer Olson.

The wreckage caught fire and the horrors of a holocaust were averted only by the unharmed passengers and members of the train crew, who used shovels and boards to throw snow upon the flames, putting them out.

The collision occurred on a steep grade in a gulch. The passenger train was making from forty-five to fifty miles an hour, while the freight, drawn by two giant locomotives, was climbing the grade at from twenty to twenty-five miles an hour.

The engine crews of the freight knew they had plenty of time to make the siding at Dolores, and had no warning of their impending danger until the passenger suddenly roared into a sharp curve.

The impact of the two trains was such that the three big engines were jammed together until they resembled one piece of mechanism, while the lightly built combination baggage and express and the smoker and day coaches telescoped one another, moving down the passenger to their seats like a hammer in a grain field. Eight men and women were decapitated as though a cleaver had been used.

### MOVE MISINTERPRETED

Thief Kills Victim Who Reached For His Money.

Union, Ia., Jan. 18.—While getting money to hand to a robber, L. Trimball, a restaurateur, was shot twice through the head and killed. Mr. Trimball had been counting his cash when a pistol was thrust into his face by a man who demanded money. Trimball gave up his silver and turned to get the paper money for the robber, who, evidently thinking that Trimball was reaching for a revolver, fired the fatal shots. The robber escaped.

### CLARA MORRIS VERY ILL

Famous Actress Suffering From a Nervous Breakdown.

New York, Jan. 18.—Clara Morris, the actress, who has been ill for a long time, is in a serious condition and her family and friends are very anxious about the outcome. A nervous breakdown was the cause of her illness.

Philadelphia Factory Burns. Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—Fire destroyed the upholstery and lace curtain warehouse and factory of Oehls Bros. & Co., loss \$125,000.

Ten, Plus Triplet, Is Thirteen. Monongahela, Pa., Jan. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. James Skokles of Gallatin are receiving congratulations on the arrival at their home of triplets, two girls and a boy. This makes fourteen children, thirteen of whom are living.

Disease Not Stamped Out. Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 18.—A new case of foot and mouth disease has appeared in Lancaster county. The case is said to have developed last week but was kept quiet.

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### COOPERS UP FOR TRIAL

Blayers of Carmack to Face Court on Wednesday.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 18.—Colonel Duncan B. Cooper, his son Robin, a young lawyer, and former Sheriff John D. Sharpe, jointly indicted for the slaying of former United States Senator Edward Carmack, who was shot to death in the streets of Nashville.



EDWARD W. CARMACK.

several weeks ago, will be placed on trial before Judge W. M. Hart on Wednesday, provided preparations can be completed by that time.

The prosecution asserts that it will prove that the killing of Carmack was the result of a conspiracy to assassinate. The feeling in the state is intense and sentiment is nearly equally divided. Threats have been made by certain friends of both sides as to what they will do should the defendants be acquitted or convicted.

### HEBREW LEADERS MEET.

Important Topics Considered at Philadelphia Gathering.

Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—Topics of peculiar interest to the Jews of the entire country will be discussed at the twenty-first annual session of the American Hebrew congregation, which began a four days' session in this city today. Simon Wolf of Washington will preside at a symposium of Jewish authorities on various phases of Jewish activity in America, and Jacob H. Schiff of New York, Secretary of Commerce and Labor Oscar S. Straus, Mrs. Hugo Rosenberg of Pittsburgh, national president of the council of Jewish women; Dr. David Blaustein of Chicago, Dr. William S. Friedman of Denver and Dr. David Phillips are among those who will take part in the discussions.

An interesting feature of the meeting will be the dedication of a memorial window in the Temple Knesseth Israel in memory of the late Isaac M. Wise.

Today's session was taken up with preliminary work.

### 30 CASES SETTLED

But 400 Others Remain in Iniquitous Theater Litigation.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—After five years of hotly contested litigation settlements have been made out of court for 30 of the nearly 600 deaths caused by the iniquitous theater fire. It is said that \$750 is to be paid in each of the thirty cases by one of the firms responsible for the construction of the theater. Prosecution in these thirty cases has been withdrawn.

One of the cases thus settled was for a man who lost his wife and three children in the fire. This number of unsettled cases is estimated at more than 400.

Roosevelt Saving Strength For Hunt. President Roosevelt is afraid his years will count against him on his African hunt, and to his visitors he is telling that he is husbanding his strength and guarding his health so that he may be fit for the strenuous year he has planned.

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New York, Jan. 18.—Loaded with lumber and materials sufficient to construct 500 houses to shelter the homeless in stricken Messina, the steamer Eva will sail from the Brooklyn navy yard dock this afternoon for Italy.

Within two hours of the receipt on Saturday of the orders from Washington, given at President Roosevelt's instance, to purchase, load and ship building supplies to the devastated districts, Pay Inspector Mudd, the navy purchasing and disbursing officer here, had chartered the Eva and begun loading. Joists, beams, leveled planks, siding, roofing tar paper, coils, bolts, window glass, sashes and nails were assembled and rapidly loaded.

The houses to be constructed will be fifteen feet by twenty and every second house will be divided by a partition into two rooms. All tools necessary for erecting the houses go with the materials in order that the relief may be as speedy as possible.

### SILENCE EXPLAINED

Investigators Find Family of Three Dead in Bathroom.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 18.—W. L. Seeley, an attorney and former national bank examiner for Illinois under Comptroller of the Currency Eckels, his wife, Mrs. Kate M. Seeley, a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and his daughter, Miss Rene Seeley, a student at the University of Washington, were found dead in a bathroom of their home in the fashionable Capital Hill quarter. The victims had been dead since last Thursday. The women, clad in night robes, had apparently been murdered with a hammer.

There was no mark of violence on Seeley. He is believed to have been partly chloroformed and then drowned in the bathtub. All three were kneeling at the side of the bathtub with their heads submerged in the water. A steamer trunk was on the bodies of Seeley and his wife.

That Seeley killed his wife and daughter while insane over financial worries and then committed suicide is the theory of the police. He was clothed in his underwear, shoes and trousers. His nightgown, which was bloodstained from the bodies of the two women, was found beneath a clean pillow in the room occupied by him and his wife. The pillow on which Mrs. Seeley had been sleeping was saturated with blood.

Although keeping up the appearance of prosperity, Seeley had been forced to borrow money for his last month's house rent from W. W. Whitte, an attorney from whom he rented desk room in the New York building.

### LOOK INTO PUBLIC'S MOUTH

Conference Begins Tonight Lays Stress on Value of Dental Hygiene. Boston, Jan. 18.—In an effort to educate the public as to the necessity of keeping the mouth and teeth clean and healthy, to establish dental hygiene in schools as a part of public education, to prevent the spread of infectious diseases, to prevent pain and increase the mental and physical efficiency of school people and to establish infirmaries for the treatment of diseased conditions of the mouth and teeth, the Massachusetts state conference on oral and dental hygiene will begin a six days' session here tonight.

The leaders of the conference declare that the importance of dental hygiene has never been understood or appreciated by the public at large. Many of them mention with approval the theory of Dr. Henry Upson, a Cleveland neurologist, who announced a few days ago his discovery that there is a direct connection between defects in dentition on the one hand and criminal instincts and nervous disorders on the other.

### STEAMER LINES TO MERGE

Two Important Lake Erie Companies Will Pool Issues.

Detroit, Jan. 18.—Announcement is made here that a merger of the Detroit and Cleveland Navigation company and Detroit and Buffalo Steamboat company will probably be adopted at the annual meeting of the two companies next month.

P. H. McMillan of Detroit, president of the Detroit and Cleveland company, will be president of the consolidated company, and George Hendrick, president of the Detroit and Buffalo company, will become chairman of the board. The Detroit and Cleveland will give \$200,000 for the Detroit and Buffalo line and assume \$100,000 of outstanding bonds of the latter. The consolidated company will have a capital stock of about \$4,000,000.

# The Round-Up

A Romance of Arizona

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Allen relighted his pipe. When he got the smoke drawing freely he gazed at Jack thoughtfully and answered, "He's gone, back where he came from—into the desert." Jim puffed slowly and then added, "Looks like you didn't give Dick a square deal."

Allen liked his son-in-law and was going to stand by him, but in Arizona the saying "All's fair in love and war" is not accepted at its face value. "I didn't," acknowledged Jack. "I was desperate at the thought of losing her. She loved me and had forgotten him. She's happy with me now."

"I reckon that's right," was Jim's censorious reply.

To elench his argument and soothe his troublesome conscience Jack continued, "She never would have been happy with him."

"That's what I told him," declared Allen. "He knew it, and that's why he went away. An' Echo, no matter what comes, she must never know. She'd never forgive you—an', for that matter, me neither."

Jack looked long out of the window toward the distant mountains, the barrier behind which Dick was wandering in the great desert, cut off from the woman he loved by a false friend.

"After I have suffered for that lie," uttered Jack in tones full of anguish, "that's what hurts me most—the thought that I lied to her. I might have killed him that night, I pondered. Jack, he shuddered at the thought that he had been on the point of adding murder to the lie. He had faced the same temptation which Dick had yet to overcome.

"Maybe you did. There's more'n one way of killing a man," suggested Allen. Jack swung around and faced him. The observation had struck home. He realized how poignantly Dick must have endured the loss of Echo and the thought of his betrayal by Jack. As he had suffered mentally so Dick must be suffering in the desert. In self justification he returned to his old argument.

"I waited until I was sure he was dead. Six months I waited after he had been shot. After I had told Echo I loved her and found that I was loved in return—then came this letter. God, what a night I had with myself when I found that he still lived—was thinking of returning home to claim her for his own! I rode out into the hills and found it out all alone, like an Indian. Then I resolved to hurry the wedding—to lie to her—and I have been living that lie every minute, every hour."

Jack leaned heavily on the table. His head sank. His voice dropped almost to a whisper.

Allen slapped him on the back to cheer him up. Philosophically he announced, "Well, it's got to be as it is. You'll maybe never hear from him again. You mustn't never tell her. I ain't a-goin' to say nothin' about it. Her happiness means everything to me."

Jack grasped his hand in silent thankfulness.

"The two men walked slowly out of the room to the court."

### CHAPTER XI.

AS Echo galloped across the prairie and in the glorious morning air the sun shone, the lowing of the cattle on the hills and the songs of the birds in the trees along the Sweetwater had banished all depressing thoughts, and her mind dwelt on her love for Jack and the pleasures of the flies in which her life had fallen.

Only one small cloud had appeared on the horizon. Jack had not shared with her his confidences in the hour of the night. He told her he did not want to worry her with such cares. True, there were times when he was deeply abstracted, but in her presence his morose moods vanished quickly. Carefully as he had tried to hide his secret, she had, with a woman's intuition, seen beneath the surface of things and realized that something was lacking to complete her happiness.

As Echo turned toward home a song sprang to her lips. Polly smiled her hand down the trail.

"Here, she's comin'," she shouted to the men, who were at the bunk house awaiting Mrs. Payson's return. As they passed the corral they called to Jack and Allen to join them in the living room to prepare for the surprise for Echo.

The party quickly reassembled.

"Good land," shouted Allen, "get somethin' to cover the piano with!" The puncher rushed in confusion about the room in a vain search.

"Ain't there a plumed thing we can cover that piano with?" cried the demoralized Allen, renewing his appeal.

Polly came to the rescue of the helpless man by plucking a Navajo blanket from the couch. Tossing one end of it to Show Low, she motioned to him to help hold it up before the instrument like a curtain.

"Here, in front of it, everybody," ordered Allen, who had left her cake baking and hurried in from the kitchen. "Polly, spread your skirts—yes, too, Jim."

Allen ran in front of the piano, holding up an imaginary dress in imitation of Polly. "Which I ain't got none," he cried.

Parentless jumped in front of the piano stool, trying vainly to hide it

with his legs.

"Parentless, put your legs together," Mrs. Allen cried.

"I can't, ma'am," wailed the unfortunate puncher. He fell on his knees before the stool, spreading out his waistcoat for a screen. Mrs. Allen helped him out with her skirts.

"Steady, everybody!" shouted Jack.

"Here she is!" yelled Sagebrush as the door opened and the astonished Echo faced those she loved and liked.

Echo made a pretty picture framed in the doorway. She wore her riding habit of olive green, from the hem of which peeped her soft boots. Her hat, broad, picturesque, typical of the southwest, had slipped backward, forming a background for her pretty face. An amused smile played about the corners of her mouth.

"Well, what is it?" she smiled inquiringly.

The group looked at her sheepishly. No one ventured to answer her question.

"What's the matter?" she resumed. "You're herded up like a bunch of cows in a corral."

Sagebrush began gravely to explain. He got only as far as "This here bein' a birthday" when Echo interrupted him: "Oh! 'T'isn't a birthday party?"

Once stopped, Sagebrush could not get started again. He cleared his throat with more emphasis than politeness. Striking the attitude of an orator, with one hand upraised and the other on his hip, he bellowed and bawled until beads of perspiration trickled from his temples.

Again he nerved himself for the ordeal.

"Mebbe," he gasped.

Then he opened and closed his mouth, froglike, several times, taking long, gulping breaths. At last, looking helplessly about him, he shouted, "Oh, Echo, you tell her, Jack!" He pushed him toward Echo. Jack rested his hand on the table and began, "We've a surprise for you—that is, the boys have."

"What is it?" asked Echo eagerly. "You've got to call it blind," broke in Sagebrush.

"Guess it," cried Fresno.

"A pony cart," hazarded Echo. "Show us," said Show Low at the idea of presenting Echo with anything on wheels.

Echo then guessed, "Sewing machine." Sagebrush encouraged her. "That's somethin' like it. Go on, go on."

"Well, then, it's a—"

Sagebrush grew more excited. He raised and lowered himself on his toes, backing toward the piano. "Go it, you're gettin' there," he shouted.

Again she hesitated, to be helped on by Sagebrush with the assurance: "She'll do it. Fire away. It's a—"

"Go on."

Sagebrush in his enthusiasm backed too far into the blanket screen. His spurs became entangled. To save himself from a fall he threw out his hand behind him. They struck the polished cover of the instrument, slid off, and Sagebrush sat down on the keys with an unmistakable crash.

"A piano!" cried Echo excitedly. "Who does that?" demanded Show Low angrily.

Parentless from his place on the floor looked at the mischief maker in disgust. "Sagebrush!" he shouted. "Climb the bull thing away," snarled Fresno.

Show Low could contain himself no longer. Cling up to Sagebrush, he shook his fist in his face, saying: "You're the limit. You ought to be herded sheep."

The victim of the accident humbly replied, "I couldn't help it."

Mrs. Allen smoothed out the differences by declaring that the difference she wouldn't have crossed, not in a million years. Stand away an' let her see it!

Fresno swept them all aside with the blanket.

"Oh, isn't it beautiful—beautiful!" cried Echo.

"Who—what—where?" she stammered, glancing from one to the other, her eyes finally resting on Jack.

"Not guilty," he cried. "You'll have to thank the boys for this."

With happy tears welling up in her eyes, Echo said: "I do thank them. I do, I do. I can't tell how delighted I am. I can't say how much this means to me. Oh, I thank you; I say it once, but I feel it a thousand times." She seized each of the boys by the hand and shook it heartily.

"Would you like to have another selection?" asked Fresno, relieving the tension of the situation.

"No!" shouted the puncher unabashedly. Fresno looked very much crestfallen since he considered that he had made a deep impression by his first effort.

"Mrs. Payson's going to hit us out a tune," announced Sagebrush.

Echo seated herself at the piano. Jack leaned against the instrument, gazing fondly into her eyes as she raised her face, radiant with happiness. Allen had taken possession of the best rocking chair. Mrs. Allen sat at the table and the boys raised themselves about the room. Their faces reflected gratification. They watched Echo expectantly.

Echo played the opening bars of "The Old Folks at Home." Before she sang Fresno, holding up his right in-

dex finger, remarked to no one in particular, "I washed that finger."

The singing deeply affected her little audience. Echo had a sweet, natural voice. She threw her whole soul into the old ballad. She was so happy she felt like singing, not lively airs, but songs about home. Her new home had become so dear to her at that moment.

Mrs. Allen, as usual, began to cry. Polly soon followed her example. There were tears even in the eyes of some of the punchers, although they blinked vigorously to keep them back.

When she repeated the chorus Sagebrush said to Fresno, "Ain't that great?"

That worthy, however, with the jealousy of an artist and to hide his own deeply moved sensibilities, replied, "That ain't so much."

Jack had become completely absorbed in the music. He and Echo were him deeply.

"Not at all," he said to her. "The little tree grows green and beautiful. It casts a welcome shade about it, and the heart of the mountain is made glad to see its rocky core to know that the safety of that little tree is in its keeping."

Taking her in his arms, he kissed her again and again.

"Kissing again," shouted Polly from the doorway. "Say, will you two never get to bed? Go to sleep! There's Bud Lane an' a bunch of others just come into the corral. Maybe they want you, Jack."

Jack excused himself. As he stepped out on the piazza he asked Polly, "Shall I send Bud in?"

"Let him come in if he wants to. I'm not sendin' for him," Polly spitefully turned up her nose at him. Jack laughed as he closed the door.

Echo revealed herself at the piano, fingering the keys.

"How are you getting on with Bud?" she asked the younger girl.

"We don't get on a little bit," she snapped. "Bud never seems to collect much revenue, an' we just keep trottin' slow-like. Wish I was married an' had a home of my own."

"Aren't you happy with father and mother?"

Polly glanced at Echo, with a smile. "Lord, yes," she replied. "In a way, but I'm only a poor relation! Your ma was my ma's cousin's cousin or somethin' like that."

Echo laughed. "Nonsense," she retorted. "Nonsense. You're my dear sister and the only daughter that's at the old home now."

"But I want a home of my own like this," said Polly.

"Then you'd better shake Bud and get him a chance."

Polly was too disgusted to answer at once. "Slim Hoover—shucks! Slim doesn't care for girls. He's afraid of 'em," she said at length. "I like Bud with all his orneriness," she declared.

"Why doesn't he come to see you more often?"

"I don't know. Maybe it's because he's never forgiven you for marryin' Jack."

"Why should he mind that?" she asked amazed.

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"Not at all," he said to her. "The little tree grows green and beautiful. It casts a welcome shade about it, and the heart of the mountain is made glad to see its rocky core to know that the safety of that little tree is in its keeping."

Taking her in his arms, he kissed her again and again.

"Kissing again," shouted Polly from the doorway. "Say, will you two never get to bed? Go to sleep! There's Bud Lane an' a bunch of others just come into the corral. Maybe they want you, Jack."

Jack excused himself. As he stepped out on the piazza he asked Polly, "Shall I send Bud in?"

"Let him come in if he wants to. I'm not sendin' for him," Polly spitefully turned up her nose at him. Jack laughed as he closed the door.

Echo revealed herself at the piano, fingering the keys.

"How are you getting on with Bud?" she asked the younger girl.

"We don't get on a little bit," she snapped. "Bud never seems to collect much revenue, an' we just keep trottin' slow-like. Wish I was married an' had a home of my own."

"Aren't you happy with father and mother?"

Polly glanced at Echo, with a smile. "Lord, yes," she replied. "In a way, but I'm only a poor relation! Your ma was my ma's cousin's cousin or somethin' like that."

Echo laughed. "Nonsense," she retorted. "Nonsense. You're my dear sister and the only daughter that's at the old home now."

"But I want a home of my own like this," said Polly.

"Then you'd better shake Bud and get him a chance."

Polly was too disgusted to answer at once. "Slim Hoover—shucks! Slim doesn't care for girls. He's afraid of 'em," she said at length. "I like Bud with all his orneriness," she declared.

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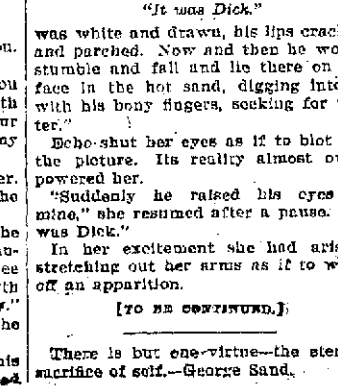
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## Fashion Notes.

By Florence Fairbanks.

NEW YORK, January 16.—Many women find it extremely difficult, even at the expense of considerable money to dress becomingly in the present fashion. Of course, not every woman can boast of a beautiful figure, which is the indispensable requirement for obtaining the best result in wearing the present style of dresses. But a great deal may be accomplished by careful selection of material and color and by judicious arrangement of the lines and ornamentations of the gown. Velvet always gives an effect of heaviness and, for that reason, should only be used by women of slender figure. Satin, on account of its brilliancy, should also be used with care. Laid materials, rather weighty, so that they cling to the figure, such as chiffon, broadcloth, look well with flat garnitures. White or black give the most slender lines. If one wishes to use heavy laces as trimming, they must be carefully tucked down, so that no wrinkles or fullness can be seen.

The long, tight sleeves are very becoming if one chooses to have arms of a beautiful shape. The tunic style is good when made of crepe de chine, if the border of the tunic be finished with silk fringe. The weight of fringe gives very graceful folds to gowns of a soft material. Anything that gives the effect of thickness must be carefully avoided and everything that lengthens and makes slender must be eagerly sought for.

One should take care to give a certain fullness to the bottom of the skirt, either by inserting pieces in the seams or, better still, by allowing for it in the cut. All extremes should be studiously avoided. This is one of the true notes of elegance for this winter. Smart women are drawing the line very rigidly against extremes, and the best houses are equally opposed to everything leading in that direction. That some women of social prominence do break through this unwritten law proves nothing more than that their taste is at fault. One always meets that falling, what-over-the-styles may be.

Blouses of lingerie and of net are disappearing. In their places have come tailored blouses of white silk, or a color to match the costume. They are very becoming with their high ribbed stock neatly bowed in front and white cuffs turning up on to the small sleeves.

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## MEETING TONIGHT TO TALK BASEBALL.

Enthusiasts Have Been Awakened and Plans Have Been Formulated

FOR CLUB HERE THIS YEAR

Open Meeting of the Directors to Take Place at the Smith House and It is Likely That the Number of Directors Will Be Decreased.

The local baseball enthusiasts have awakened from their long hibernation and tonight the first gun of the coming campaign will be fired. There will be an open meeting of the Directors and the public at the Smith House this evening. Those interested in the game are cordially invited to participate in the discussion to-night when the ways and means of financing the team will be discussed.

On January 20 the winter league meeting will be held in Uniontown and the Connellsville managers expect to make a good showing and have an encouraging report.

The team here this year is minus a manager and a successor to Milt Montgomery must be found. The team has not suffered heavily from drafts or sales and as far as known only Montgomery and Elmer are missing. Chip Francis has received a flattering offer from the Virginia State League but cannot accept unless the management here is willing to let him go. While Chip is badly needed in Connellsville, the Directors will hardly stand in the way of his promotion, especially if the South-east team is willing to contribute something for his release.

The meeting in Uniontown this month will be interesting. Parkersburg is anxious to come in and President Grooming is said to have a scheme in view to form a West Virginia State League, thus leaving the Pennsylvania teams out in the cold. As it is hardly likely that the Connellsville, Uniontown and Charleroi teams are willing to be sidetracked, it looks as though Grooming would have to do without Parkersburg, and that if the league of organized baseball prevent the arbitrary disruption of a circuit.

## DAWSON SCHOOLS ARE WELL ATTENDED.

Large Number Did Not Miss a Day During the Holiday Month.

Patrons' Day, Feb. 12.

The report of the fourth month of the Dawson schools shows a good attendance for the holiday month. Of the 139 pupils enrolled, 72 attended every day during the month. Friday, February 12, Lincoln's Birthday, has been set aside by County Superintendent Leavitt as a patron's day. All patrons and friends of education are invited to spend the day at the school. A special program will be rendered in the afternoon. In the report the first column denotes enrollment, second column average attendance, and the third column percent.

Room No. 1—Miss Anna Francis, 36 32 91  
No. 2—Miss Katherine Bailey, 34 31 91  
No. 3—Miss Martha Bowman, 31 31 95  
No. 4—H. K. Bowles, 31 31 94

The names of those who attended every day are given below:

Room No. 1—Myrtle Blair, Gladys Cable, Evelyn Bliss, Grace Langhrey, Desirée Love, Anna Moffin, Louise Mone, Rose Marie, Harriet, William Rothbush, Martha Sheppard, Mary Zimmerman, Edna Mollin, Frank Harts, Harold Forester, Donald Huns, Howard Knicker, Joseph Rediff, Gordon Sherbondy.

Room No. 2—Walter Burrell, Clarence Leonard, Walter Adams, Fred Anderson, Walter Macdonald, William Moffin, Charles Severus, Charles Zimmerman, Thomas Zimmerman, Zillah Weisbach, Ruby Hersh, Lela Sheppard, Rosa Sherman, Mary Mueller, Gladys Langhrey, Elizabeth Crawford, Margaret Ober, Anna Belle Sheppard, Eva Alexander, Eleanor, Marie Somers, Katherine Fletcher, Elizabeth McKenna.

Room No. 3—Harry Crawford, Mont Emmet, E. Porter, William Sheppard, James Goldsboro, Thomas Crawford, Max Cumberland, George Love, Vincent Leonard, Gladys Stillwagon, Helen Shebondy, Georgia Knight, Helen Bell, Ruth, Esther Wilgus, Clara Maule Coble.

Room No. 4—Edwin Carr, Wilbur Woods, W. H. Rush, Florence Leonard, Grace Stillwagon, Mary Porter, Nellie Stouffer, Rose Grayson, Ernest Gogan, Frank Goldsboro, Frank VanHorn, Howard Rebeck, Joseph Forester, Theodore VanHorn, Marie Mundorf, Margaret Grawling.

## PAINFUL INJURY

Sustained By L. W. Neff While Making a Train.

L. W. Neff of New Haven, head bookkeeper for the Cambria Iron Company at Dunbar, was the victim of a very painful accident Saturday night. While on his way to a train he stepped on a rolling stone. His right ankle turned and as the result he is suffering from a very bad sprain. The attending physician is as yet unable to determine the true nature of the sprain but it is likely that the end of the main bone is broken off.

P. Worthington.  
Orders for piano tuning received at Wallace's Furniture Store.

Read our advertisements carefully.

## CHINESE METHODS.

Why a Street, Newly Paved, Was Torn Up by Official Order.

M. Monnier, the French Asiatic traveler, vouched for the truth of the following story of how his friend, Hop Sing, a man of means and refinement, was on one occasion severely victimized. Hop Sing lived in the street of the roasted corn, an unsavory and as ill paved a street as any in all Peking. The local mandarin was an intimate friend of his, and Hop Sing availed himself of this friendship to press the mandarin to have the street repaved. Certainly, at once. The men would be at work on it before Hop Sing could get back home. A week passed, then another visit, and so on until, in despite, Hop Sing determined to have the street repaved at his own expense. The work was satisfactorily completed.

The surprise of Hop Sing was only equaled by his indignation when on awakening one morning he found a gang of coolies upheaving the newly flagged street. His surprise grew when he heard from the mandarin's own lips that the men were there at his orders.

"You see, my dear friend," said the mandarin, "I am expecting the head inspector around here in a few days. Now, if he were to see the beautiful pavement you have laid down in your street he would come to the conclusion that there was money about, and he would assuredly bleed every vein in my body. This would mean my ruin. Don't you see why your pavement really must come up? It cost me one fortune to secure my post. I don't want to spend another in keeping it."

## THE CHARM OF NEW YORK.

An English View of the Metropolis of the New World.

New York ought by most artistic standards of the past to be hideous. Instead as I made up my mind, with a shock of pleasure, a few weeks ago she is as beautiful, as individual almost, as Venice. Of course there are her sky and her atmosphere. Even a regular old tramp of a city could wear a spurious charm when golden wine of sunshine dripped over her from a crystal cup studded with turquoise or in a sunset such as heaven and Turner alone could conceive, glittering like a band of jewels behind a veil of sprinkled gold dust. But the startling, bizarre beauty of New York could exist even in a London fog.

What is there to any of a vast city where all the architectures of the world and some that were never seen anywhere else on land or sea rub shoulders together? Would you not think that they would refuse to speak to each other, even if they didn't fight in disastrous battle dreadful to witness? But go to New York and see.

I said to myself as I drove about New York that the gay, colorful city was like a huge flower garden where the gardener had sown his seeds anywhere—red hollyhocks, golden sunflowers, dainty plums, modest violets, tall white lilies, larkspurs, pansies and a thousand other early things bolder skelter, leaving them to come up all among each other as they chose, and instead of the experiment being a failure it turned out a glorious success.—Mrs. C. N. Williamson in London Chronicle.

Obesity and Will Power.  
Obesity is easily cured with the exercise of the proper care and restraint on the part of the patient. Without this, however, the cure is impossible, and no physician or medicine can be of any help. The happy-go-lucky dispositions of fat people, their tendency to regard their ailments lightly, cause them to look upon nothing seriously, to deny themselves nothing. These characteristics, which generally are responsible for their ailments, furnish

the greatest obstacles in the way of curing them. As a rule, the fat person does just the opposite of what he ought to do. He eats the very foods he should avoid, avoids those he should eat, shuns exercise of every kind, indulges in rest and luxury and seeks the way of the easiest resistance generally—"Will Power."

## CHAMPION A TIMID LAD.

Mother Made Fighter of Jack Johnson, Tommy Burns' Conqueror.

Mrs. Thelma Johnson, the widow mother of Jack Johnson, who won the heavyweight championship by defeating Tommy Burns, says she made a fighter of her boy, who is one of three sons of nine children, but she had no idea of making a professional pugilist of him.

"Jack was a slim built youngster till he was about fifteen years old," she said. "He is now thirty-one and was a regular baby and was always getting into trouble at school and with his playmates and always got the worst of it. His sister had to fight all his battles, and she soon got tired of it. One day when Jack was about fourteen years old a small boy whipped him, and he came home crying. 'I gave him another spanking and told him he would have to learn to fight his own battles and that every time he got licked I would give him another licking when he came home. He was never whipped after that, and he licked every boy, big or little, that tackled him.'"

Johnson bought a home for his mother in Galveston and owns other property in Texas.

## CHURCH TO MAKE LOANS.

St. Louis Pastor Plans to Aid Worthy Needy Who Shun Charity.

The Rev. Jacob B. Meeker, pastor of the Compton Hill (St. Louis) Congregational church, starts the new year with innovations that he believes will add to the effectiveness of his church and hold the interest of his congregation. Beginning the 1st of January, the Compton Hill church operates a loan department for the benefit of all worthy persons, regardless of church membership, who dislike the idea of accepting charity. Rev. Meeker will not preach a night sermon hereafter more than once each month. The other Sunday nights will be devoted to music, art and literature.

"Franchising in itself, I believe, greatly overdone these days," he says.

Says Chicago Is Bad as Hell.  
Choosing as his text a quotation from Isaiah, "Hell hath enlarged itself," and intimating that Chicago is the new annex thereof, the Rev. W. H. Ford, pastor of the Union Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, proceeded to discuss the topic, "Is Hell Worse Than Chicago?" "In some respects hell is no worse than Chicago," said the clergyman. "Hell has no innocent or temptations to the innocent." Mr. Ford said that about the only advantage Chicago had over hell was that Chicago could be redeemed.

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Sues Hotel Company.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 18.—The Fayette County Gas Company has entered suit against the Summit Hotel Company for \$1,596.46.

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Do Both of Those Things at One Time.

MEN'S CLOTHING.		WOMEN'S FUR COATS.		
Every remaining suit in the store goes into this sale under the following prices:		\$5.00 blended Squirrel Jacket at.....\$10.00		
All \$30.00 Suits at.....	\$17.50	\$37.50 Near-Seal Jackets at.....	\$19.75	
All \$25.00 Suits at.....	\$17.50	\$50.00 Near-Seal Jackets at.....	\$25.00	
All \$20.00 Suits at.....	\$13.50	One lot of long coats and semi-titled Coats for Women, were \$25.00 to \$50.00, on sale at.....	\$20.00	
All \$15.00 Suits at.....	\$10.25		\$20.00	
All \$10.00 Coats at.....	\$7.50	Women's Short Flannellette Kimonos.		
MEN'S RAIN COATS AND OVERCOATS.		50c Kimonos at.....	.30c	
All \$25.00 and \$30.00 Coats at.....	\$17.50	75c Kimonos at.....	.50c	
All \$20.00 Coats at.....	\$13.50	1.00 Kimonos at.....	.75c	
All \$15.00 Coats at.....	\$11.25	\$1.25 Kimonos at.....	.90c	
All \$10.00 Coats at.....	\$7.50	\$2.00 Kimonos at.....	\$1.50	
BOYS' KNEE PANTS SUITS.		One small lot of Women's Skirts, were \$5.00 to \$12.00, now on sa' at.....		HALF PRICE
All \$10.00 Suits at.....	\$6.75	11 Caracul and Velour Coats for Women, were \$22.50 and \$25.00, sale price.....	\$10.00	
All \$7.50 Suits at.....	\$4.50	WOMEN'S CONVERT JACKETS.		
All \$5.00 Suits at.....	\$3.50	(Ages 15 to 40)		
All \$3.50 Suits at.....	\$2.75	were \$10.00 to \$18.00, at.....	\$1.00	
BOYS' KNEE PANTS.		WOMEN'S ROBES.		
All 70c Pants at.....	.35c	Of linen and of Gingery, colors white, pink, blue, champagne and black now on sale at.....	HALF PRICE	
All 75c Pants at.....	.50c	(Regular price for these \$10.00, \$15.00, \$25.00, \$35.00 and \$40.00.)		
All 1.00 Pants at.....	.75c	CHILDREN'S COATS.		
All 1.50 Pants at.....	\$1.15	25 Coats in this lot, ages 6 to 12 years, regu- larly \$5.00 to \$8.00, at.....	\$1.00	
MEN'S CORDUROY PANTS.		One lot of Children's Bearskin Coats, ages 2 to 6 years, in gray, brown, red and green, regularly \$3.00 and \$4.00, at.....	\$1.05	
\$2.50 Pants at.....	\$1.75	One lot of Women's, Misses and Children's Sweaters, priced regularly at \$1.00 to \$3.50, now.....	HALF PRICE	
\$3.00 Pants at.....	\$2.25	CHILDREN'S COATS.		
\$3.50 Pants at.....	\$2.00	(Ages 5 to 14 years.)		
ONE LOT OF BOYS' CLOTHING.		\$2.50 Coats at.....	\$3.75	
(Ages from 5 to 15 years.)		\$3.50 Coats at.....	\$4.75	
Were \$2.50 to \$5.00, at.....	\$1.15	\$5.00 Coats at.....	\$5.75	
Men's Fancy Vests, regularly priced from \$2.50 to \$5.00, at one-fourth of the regular price.		\$5.50 Coats at.....	\$6.50	
One lot of Fancy Vests regularly priced from \$2.00 to \$5.00, at.....	HALF PRICE	\$10.00 Coats at.....	\$7.50	
MEN'S HATS.		(Ages 5 to 14 years—Not a coat reserved.)		
\$3.00 Hats at.....	\$2.43	\$2.50 Coats at.....	\$1.50	
\$2.00 Hats at.....	\$1.42	\$3.50 Coats at.....	\$2.50	
\$1.50 Hats at.....	\$1.15	\$5.00 Coats at.....	\$3.75	
\$1.00 Hats at.....	.70c	\$7.50 Coats at.....	\$5.75	
ONE LOT OF MEN'S SUITS.		\$5.50 Coats at.....	\$6.50	
Regularly priced at \$10.00 to \$25.00, at ex- actly.....	HALF PRICE	\$10.00 Coats at.....	\$7.50	
Men's Working Coats, regularly priced at \$2.00 to \$5.00, at one-fourth of marked prices.		(Ages 5 to 14 years.)		
One lot of Young Men's Overcoats, mostly small sizes in fancy mixtures, were \$10.00 to \$20.00, are now.....	HALF PRICE	\$2.50 Coats at.....	\$3.75	
One lot of Men's \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 Hats (slightly soiled) at.....	.20c	\$3.50 Coats at.....	\$4.75	
MEN'S FURNISHINGS.		\$5.00 Coats at.....	\$6.00	
21 doz. Men's Collars, regular two for 25c kind at.....	5c	\$5.50 Coats at.....	\$6.50	
One lot of 50c Suit Hats at.....	.25c	\$10.00 Coats at.....	\$7.50	
One lot of 25c Fancy Half Hose at two pairs for.....	.25c	CHILDREN'S WOOL DRESSES.		
One lot of Men's 50c Shirts at.....	.35c	(Ages 5 to 14 years.)		
One lot of Men's Cuff and Monarch Shirts, regularly \$1.00 and \$1.50, at.....	.75c	\$1.50 Dresses at.....	.50c	
One lot of Men's and Boys Caps, 50c and \$1.00 values at.....	.25c	\$2.50 Dresses at.....	\$1.75	
\$1.00 and \$1.50 warm-lined Gloves and Mit- tens for men at.....	.75c	\$3.50 Dresses at.....	\$2.50	
50c and 75c warm-lined Gloves and Mittens for Boys at.....	.25c	\$5.00 Dresses at.....	\$3.75	
One lot of 50c Tan-or-Shanters at.....	.25c	\$5.50 Dresses at.....	\$4.75	
One lot of Men's Flannel Lined 50c Underwear at.....	.35c	\$7.50 Dresses at.....	\$5.00	
WOMEN'S TAILORED SUITS.		\$9.50 Dresses at.....	\$7.50	
One lot of \$15.00 Suits at.....	\$ 7.50	Infants' Long and Short White Dresses.		
One lot of \$10.00 Suits at.....	\$ 5.00	25c Dresses at.....	.10c	
One lot of \$20.00 Suits at.....	\$10.00	35c Dresses at.....	.25c	
One lot of \$25.00 Suits at.....	\$12.50	50c Dresses at.....	.35c	
One lot of \$30.00 Suits at.....	\$15.00	75c Dresses at.....	.50c	
One lot of \$35.00 Suits at.....	\$17.50	\$1.00 Dresses at.....	.75c	
One lot of \$40.00 Suits at.....	\$20.00	\$1.25 Dresses at.....	.98c	
One lot of \$45.00 Suits at.....	\$22.50	\$1.50 Dresses at.....	\$1.10	
One lot of \$50.00 Suits at.....	\$25.00	\$2.00 Dresses at.....	\$1.65	
One lot of \$55.00 Suits at.....	\$27.50	\$2.50 Dresses at.....	\$1.95	
(All of these suits are absolutely new and stylish)		\$3.00 Dresses at.....	\$2.25	
WOMEN'S TAILORED COATS.		One lot of Bearskin Bonnets and Tan-or-Shanters, were \$1.00 and \$1.50, at.....	50c	
One lot of \$10.00 Coats at.....	\$ 7.50	One lot of light underwear, was \$2.00 and \$2.00, at.....	.98c	
One lot of \$12.50 Coats at.....	\$ 8.50	WOMEN'S SKIRTS.		
One lot of \$15.00 Coats at.....	\$10.00	(Nothing reserved.)		
One lot of \$17.50 Coats at.....	\$12.00	\$5.00 Skirts at.....	\$3.75	
One lot of \$20.00 Coats at.....	\$13.50	\$7.50 Skirts at.....	\$5.00	
One lot of \$22.50 Coats at.....	\$15.00	\$8.50 Skirts at.....	\$6.50	
One lot of \$25.00 Coats at.....	\$16.50	\$9.00 Skirts at.....	\$6.75	
One lot of \$27.50 Coats at.....	\$18.00	\$10.00 Skirts at.....	\$7.50	
One lot of \$30.00 Coats at.....	\$19.50	\$12.50 Skirts at.....	\$9.00	
One lot of \$32.50 Coats at.....	\$21.00	\$15.00 Skirts at.....	\$11.50	
One lot of \$35.00 Coats at.....	\$22.50	\$20.00 Skirts at.....	\$15.00	
One lot of \$37.50 Coats at.....	\$24.00	\$22.50 Skirts at.....	\$18.50	
One lot of \$40.00 Coats at.....	\$25.50	\$25.00 Skirts at.....	\$19.75	
MILLINERY.		MEN'S SHOES.		
55 Trimmed Hats, in colors, regularly priced at from \$5.00 to \$7.00, sale price.....	\$2.00	125 pairs of Men's Havan Shoes, \$5.00 and \$5.50 values, at.....	\$4.00	
15 Trimmed Hats, in colors, regularly priced at from \$3.00 to \$5.00, sale price.....	\$1.00	Lace, button and Blucher styles, patent and dull leathers.		
All remaining Black Hats ranging in price from \$5.00 to \$25.00, at.....	HALF PRICE	One lot Men's Crawford and Douglas Shoes, value \$4.00, at.....	\$2.95	
Women's, Misses and Children's Soft felt Hats, trimmed with scarfs, Persian bands and quills, regularly priced at \$2.00 and \$3.00, at.....	HALF PRICE	One lot of Men's \$3.50 Shoes at.....	\$2.45	
Entire remaining stock of untrimmed fur and felt shapies, regularly priced from \$2.00 to \$6.00, at.....	HALF PRICE	One lot of Men's \$2.00 Shoes at.....	\$1.05	
FIFTY LINGERIE WAISTS.		One lot of Boys' School Shoes, sizes 1 to 5 1/2, at.....	\$1.25	
Sizes 40, 42, 44 and 46, were \$3.00 and \$3.75, sale price.....	\$1.50	One lot of Youths' School Shoes, sizes 9 to 13, at.....	.95c	
WOMEN'S FLANNEL NIGHT GOWNS.		ELECTRIC PORTABLE LAMPS.		
1.00 Gowns at.....	.50c	15.00 Lamps at.....	\$10.50	
1.25 Gowns at.....	.60c	25.00 Lamps at.....	\$20.00	
1.50 Gowns at.....	.75c	30.00 Lamps at.....	\$16.50	
2.00 Gowns at.....	\$1.25	40.00 Lamps at.....	\$7.50	
Children's Flannellette Night Dresses, at Gowns at.....	.50c	11.00 Lamps at.....	\$10.50	
75c Gowns at.....	.35c	Twenty-five per cent. off the regular prices on all gas and oil lamps and lanterns.		
FURS.		75c, \$1.00 and \$2.00 Graniteware, including nearly every wanted kitchen utensil, at 40c		
\$ 3.50 Furs at.....	\$ 2.05	45c Tea Pots at.....	.25c	
\$ 5.00 Furs at.....	\$ 3.75	50c Preserving Kettles at.....	.15c	
\$ 7.50 Furs at.....	\$ 5.00	WOMEN'S SHOES.		
\$10.00 Furs at.....	\$ 7.50	Women's \$1.00 Shoes at.....	\$2.85	
\$12.00 Furs at.....	\$ 9.00	In patent, dull and tan leathers; Blucher and button styles.		
\$15.00 Furs at.....	\$11.50	One lot of Women's \$3.50 Shoes at.....	\$2.45	
\$20.00 Furs at.....	\$15.00	Patent, dull or tan leathers, lace, Blucher or button styles, light and heavy soles.		
\$25.00 Furs at.....	\$18.75	One lot of Women's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes at.....	\$1.55	
\$35.00 Furs at.....	\$27.00	Patent and dull leathers, lace, Blucher or button styles.		
\$50.00 Furs at.....	\$40.00	One lot of Women's \$2.00 Shoes at.....	\$1.39	
One lot of Women's \$2.00 Shoes at.....	\$1.39	One lot of Misses School Shoes, sizes 1 1/2 to 2, at.....	\$1.30	
One lot of Misses School Shoes, sizes 1 1/2 to 2, at.....	\$1.30	Children's School Shoes, sizes 3 1/2 to 11, 11 1/2, Sizes 9 to 11, at.....	.85c	
Children's School Shoes, sizes 3 1/2 to 11, 11 1/2, Sizes 9 to 11, at.....	.85c	The above shoes are shown in box calf, kid and in lace and button styles.		
The above shoes are shown in box calf, kid and in lace and button styles.		One lot of Women's Evening Slippers, regularly priced at \$3.50 and \$4.00, sale price now.....	\$1.29	
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COMFORTABLES.		\$1.50 Comforts at.....	\$1.12	
\$1.50 Comforts at.....	\$1.12	\$2.00 Comforts at.....	\$1.50	
\$2.00 Comforts at.....	\$1.50	\$2.50 Comforts at.....	\$1.90	
\$3.00 Comforts at.....	\$2.25	\$3.00 Comforts at.....	\$2.25	